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DELEGATES AS SLATED

PHARES AND VOORHEES NAMED BY DISTRICT REPUBLICANS.

ARE NOT INSTRUCTED

Both, However, Are Opposed to Lowden Presidential Candidacy.—Woman Named as Elector.

W. F. Phares of Maryville, former chairman of the Republican state committee, and Bert G. Voorhees of St. Joseph were unanimously elected as delegates from this district to the Republican national convention to be held in Kansas City on June 12, at the congressional convention here this afternoon.

The alternates, elected by acclamation, were George J. Baumgardt, of Farley, chairman of the Republican county committee of Platte County, and Miss Augusta White of Fairfax.

Phares' name was presented by Mrs. F. S. King of Maryville. Mrs. King said in her talk that Mr. Phares conducted a vigorous and capable campaign as chairman of the Republican state committee and that he was an outstanding, able and strong man.

Charles H. Manville of St. Joseph presented the name of Voorhees.

In nominating Mr. Bumgardt of Platte County, the speaker said Platte County would like to have the alternate delegate "whether or not we deserve much on account of our Republican vote."

No Instructions on President.

Mrs. Ina Hitz of Forrest City was selected as the presidential elector.

The delegates were not instructed as to a candidate for President, but both Mr. Phares and Mr. Voohees are opposed to Frank O. Lowden. Mr. Voorhees favors Charles Evans Hughes. Both delegates are said to be favorable to Charles G. Dawes.

The various committee reports were adopted. The credentials committee recommended that the delegates present from each county be instructed to vote the full number of votes that county was entitled to. The permanent organization, rules and order of business committee recommended that the temporary officers of the convention, Mort Craig of St. Joseph, chairman, and Mrs. W. S. Zeller of Maitland, secretary, be the permanent officers.

The resolutions committee report was read by C. M. Marston, editor of the Maitland Herald. The resolutions will be found elsewhere in this paper.

Judge Craig Chairman.

The convention was called to order after 11 o'clock by Charles H. Manville, St. Joseph, chairman of the congressional committee.

He read the call for the congressional convention and its purposes. The chairmen from the various counties held a meeting and announced they had chosen Judge Morton Craig of St. Joseph for temporary chairman, and Mrs. W. S. Zeller, Holt county, whose address is Maitland, as temporary secretary.

Judge Craig brought applause when he mentioned the names of President Coolidge and Congressman Faust. He said it was up to the rank and file to be alert to continue the party in power.

North T. Gentry, attorney-general, who had to leave the city at 1 o'clock, gave a short address, stating he was proud of the Republican party and glad to see such a harmonious assemblage in this district. He urged the party to present its claims for continued control. He hoped that the Fourth district Republicans would continue its support of Charles Faust.

Welcomed by Wolfers.

Fred Wolfers of Maryville, gave the address of welcome, stressing the importance of the work of the delegates to the convention and stating that it really was their task to select a successor to President Coolidge. He welcomed the delegates in behalf of Mayor W. O. Garrett, who is at Rochester, Minn., and extended greetings from the city of Maryville.

Hubert Garrett of Quitman, Nodaway county delegate, then offered a motion that three committees be appointed, to be comprised of one delegate from each county, except Buchanan, which should be represented by five on each committee. J. H. Sewell seconded the motion, which was passed, and a short recess was taken to select the committees. The committees are credentials, permanent organization and order of business, and resolutions.

The convention adjourned until 2:30 o'clock and the delegates went to the

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Delegates to G. O. P. Convention

WILLIAM F. PHARES.

BERT G. VOORHEES

Selected by the Republican convention here today to represent the fourth congressional district of Missouri at the Republican national convention at Kansas City.

ARTIST TRIO HERE MONDAY

COLLEGE TO OFFER ONE OF MAJOR ENTERTAINMENTS.

HEADED BY DANSEUSE

Miss Sylvia Tell Internationally Known —Singer and Pianist to Assist.

The outstanding College attraction for the spring quarter, an innovation in the way of major entertainments, will be given in the College auditorium next Monday evening by three outstanding artists.

Heading the list is Miss Sylvia Tell, American premiere danseuse, internationally known for her charming interpretative dancing. Of equal merit is Miss Laura Townsey CeCoy, American coloratura soprano, who received such favorable attention last year as assisting artist with Madame Schumann-Heink in her Golden Jubilee tour. The third star on the program will be Leith Stevens, favorably known pianist and accompanist.

John Thompson Ill.

Mr. Stevens is replacing John Thompson in this program, as Mr. Thompson's recent illness has forced him to cancel all of his engagements. In a letter yesterday from Horner-Witte, Mr. Horner wrote that Mr. Stevens is proving a most worthy alternate for Mr. Thompson and has had an enthusiastic reception everywhere he has played.

The program is announced for 8 o'clock next Monday evening. Reserved seats are scheduled to go on sale at Kuchs Bros., beginning Friday of this week. Students of the College will be admitted upon their major coupon, and a hundred percent attendance by the student body is expected.

Miss Tell furnishes the innovation of the program. She is regarded as the most outstanding contribution to the terpsichorean art in America and as an interpretative dancer is declared without equal in this country. Her career has been marked with distinction since her debut with Madame Galli Curci in "La Traviata" as American premiere danseuse of the Chicago Opera Co.

It was the late Cleofonte Campanini who discovered Miss Tell and made her the premiere danseuse of his com-

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To Vote on Change in School District

Proposal Would Admit Ten More Acres of Herren Form, So as to Include Improvements.

Voters of Maryville Independent school district will vote April 3 on the proposition of adding ten acres to the school district, according to notices of the school election.

The ten acres is part of the Rocky Ford farm, immediately east of Maryville, and is now a part of Elm Grove school district, No. 82.

The land is owned by J. W. Herren and the ten acres includes the improvements on the farm. Seventy acres already are in the Maryville district. Should the proposition be accepted, the tenant of the Herren farm will have the privilege of sending his children to the Maryville school, instead of to the Elm Grove school, as he is required to do now because the improvements on the farm are in the Elm Grove district.

CITY TO HELP IN CLEAN-UP

MAYOR HOTCHKIN, SETS ASIDE THURSDAY AND FRIDAY.

TO MAKE ONE ROUND

Owners of Vacant Lots Urged to Collect Junk or Receive Notice Later.

Maryville will have clean-up days Thursday and Friday of this week, according to a proclamation issued today by D. E. Hotchkin, acting mayor.

Immediately after noon Thursday, trucks or wagons will pick up rubbish, cans, and all articles that cannot be burned and which have been placed in the parkways or alleys.

Thursday noon has been set as the dead line. This will be the last hour to place rubbish on the parkways to be hauled away.

Trucks will start out at noon Thursday and cover every street in town to pick up the barrels, boxes or sacks of trash that have been placed on the parkways. Mr. Hotchkin said there would be no going back over the same streets to pick up stuff that might be placed out for the wagons after noon Thursday.

The wagons and trucks will continue hauling away trash Thursday and Friday until the job is completed. Mr. Hotchkin warned that any brush, papers or anything that can be burned, or their ashes, will be left on the driveways, as the truck drivers will refuse to pick up such articles.

The clean-up days will give Maryville a chance to get rid of all the tin cans, non-essentials and what-not, that have accumulated during the winter, and this is the only time of the year that the city goes into the truck collection business to help the home owners get rid of their rubbish.

Mr. Hotchkin warned the owners of vacant lots, and also others, that premises that are not cleared during the clean-up period will be served with notices to remove the trash at their own expense.

Mrs. Longworth Adds Check to Borah Fund

Daughter of Roosevelt Gives $100 to Repair Sinclair.—Contributions Now Total $3,600.

Washington, Mar. 20.—Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth, wife of the Speaker of the House, sent a check for $100 to Senator Borah today as a subscription to his fund to repay Harry Sinclair's $160,000 campaign contribution to the Republican party.

The morning mail brought $1,145, bringing the total of cash on hand to about $3,600, Borah announced. He declined to give names of the other contributors. Mrs. Longworth authorized publication of her name.

Wholesale Prices Up the Past Four Weeks

Washington. Mar. 20.—Wholesale prices have advanced slightly for each of the past four weeks, according to the index compiled by the national fertilizer association. The advance for last week was only one-tenth of one per cent and was due largely to textiles and foods.

Based on 449 commodities and 1926 as 100, the index stood at 95.4 per cent for the week ended March 17.

TAKE PRIDE IN PARTY RECORD

DISTRICT REPUBLICANS PRAISE COOLIDGE, HYDE, BAKER.

UNSELFISH ON FAUST

Want Him as Representative But Won't Keep Him From Senate Race—Mrs. Zwick Endorsed.

Resolutions adopted by the Republicans of the Fourth congressional district, in convention here today, praised the record of the Republican party under President Calvin Coolidge, and linked the state administrations of Arthur M. Hyde and Sam A. Baker as "the most progressive period in the history of Missouri."

They lauded Charles L. Faust and his service in Congress from this district, but, unlike the recent Nodaway county convention, did not ask that he remain in the House of Representatives rather than to enter the race for United States senator. Instead, the district delegates said they "would not suffer our own desires to become a stumbling block against his further advancement nor to deprive the people of this state of his services."

The resolutions also endorsed Dr. Ed B. Clements and Mrs. Grace Semple Burlingham as members of the Republican national committee, and recommended Mrs. G. L. Zwick of St. Joseph as a delegate-at-large to the national convention at Kansas City.

The resolutions follow:

A "Glorious Record."

"The Republican party of the Fourth Congressional District, through its regularly elected representatives, in convention assembled, renews its pledge of devotion to the principle of representative government upon which this nation is builded and in the administration of which there have come to us manifold blessings in our quest for life, liberty and happiness.

"We are filled with pride as we contemplate the glorious record of our party during its more than half century of constructive leadership, and we rededicate our lives to the perpetuation of the high purpose in government so admirably exemplified in the principles and policies of the Republican party.

"Resolved, That there is no more inspiring chapter in the history of the Republican party than that now being written under the guidance of Calvin Coolidge, and that we endorse his administration and commend his policies as examples of statesmanship and exalted patriotism that well may serve as beacons to light the way for those who are to come after him.

"Resolved, That the last seven years under Republican rule in Missouri have marked the most progressive period in the history of the state, and that we unqualifiedly endorse the administrations of Arthur M. Hyde and Sam A. Baker and commend the record of constructive and economical service accomplished under their leadership as high points in public service, worthy the emulation of succeeding administrations.

Faust "Statesmanlike."

"Resolved, That Charles L. Faust, member of congress from this district, during the years of his service as our representative, has performed the duties of his office with such fidelity to the interests of his constituents as to fully merit their confidence and esteem, and has shown such statesmanlike ability in his congressional service as to win the admiration of Republicans throughout the entire state, resulting in a demand that he become the candidate of his party for United States Senator. Therefore, be it further

"Resolved, That, while we covet the honor of retaining Mr. Faust as our own district representative in congress, we would not suffer our own desires to become a stumbling block against his further advancement nor to deprive the people of this state of his services.

"Resolved, That the services of Dr. Ed. B. Clements as national committeeman and of Mrs. Grace Semple Burlingham as national committeewoman have been so eminently satisfactory as to make their retirement unthinkable, and we hereby endorse them as candidates to succeed themselves, and instruct our delegates to the national convention to vote for them and to use every other honorable means to secure their election.

For St. Joseph Woman.

"Resolvtd, That it is the sense of this convention that the Fourth Dis-

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THEIR DEATHS NOT IN VAIN?

S-4 DISASTER MAY RESULT IN SAVING OTHER LIVES.

WHOLE STORY IS TOLD

Forty Men Died Peacefully, With One Tank of Oxygen Yet Unused, Investigators Find.

Boston, Mar. 20.—Secretary of the Navy Curtis D. Wilbur arrived at the Boston navy yard this afternoon from Pittsburgh to inspect the submarine S-4, in which forty men lost their lives.

A salute of 19 guns was fired when he entered the naval reservation.

While Secretary Wilbur was walking about the deck, the investigating board was busy in the control room. They reported no message of any kind were found.

Some records, including the ship's log, were found in the control room. They were water soaked and were carefully removed for drying and restoration. It was pointed out that it was hardly likely any information shedding light on the crash would be contained in the log, as the records usually were not entered until the end of the day.

Couldn't Stay at Posts.

The theory that the submarine could have been saved after the crash if the men had stayed at their posts in the control room was refuted in the findings of the investigators.

Had the men stayed at their posts even a minute, they would have died of the chlorine gas, released when the water poured through the gash into the battery room, adjacent to the control room, the board said.

Boston, March 20.—The instrument with which Lieut. Graham Newell Fitch tapped out messages from the torpedo chamber in the submarine S-4 was found by investigators today.

It was a torpedo socket wrench, not a hammer.

Two members of the board of inspection and three technical advisers seeking to determine the status of the S-4 at the time of the crash with the coast guard destroyer, Pauling, completed their examination of the torpedo room where six men were entombed alive three days.

They failed to find any written messages.

Secretary Wilbur, who has been at Fitchburg, Mass., will visit the navy yard at 2 p. m. to confer with members of the board about their findings.

Boston, Mass., Mar. 20.—The navy worked today so that the forty men who died in the submarine S-4 shall not have given their lives entirely in vain.

The S-4, in dry dock here after three months on the ocean floor off Provincetown, had yielded the final eight bodies not recovered by divers, and provided the full story of what happened on Dec. 17 last when the S-4 was rammed by the cutter Paulding.

The official investigating board entered the hull again today and from the mute evidence they find there, the navy hopes to compile data that will prove invaluable in future disasters of the kind. The board of experts, under Captain J. D. Willson, will spend a week or more in its survey. They will

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Clear Way to Begin Building Dirigibles

Goodyear Company Probably Will Get Contract for Craft of 6,000,000 Cubic Feet.

Washington, March 20. — The way was cleared today toward beginning work on the two 6,000,000 cubic foot dirigibles authorized for the navy by Congress last session.

The House appropriations committee is expected to accept President Coolidge's recommendation that Congress appropriate for beginning work on the two, instead of one as authorized last session. This will meet desires of Goodyear Rubber Company officials who told the naval affairs committee recently they could build two for $8,000,000, as authorized by Congress, but could not construct one for half this amount.

The Goodyear Company won the design competition, but award of the contract has been held up.

Congress made an initial appropriation of $200,000 last session for beginning the work. If the committee carries out President Coolidge's request it merely will make this applicable to beginning of work on both.

State Department to Help Settle Dispute

Willing to Name Neutral Representative in Guatemala-Honduras Boundary Dispute.

Washington, March 20.—The State department has signified willingness to help settle the Guatemala-Honduras boundary dispute of long standing, the United Press learned authoritatively today.

The department is willing to name a neutral representative as third member on a commission to investigate the frontier and determine a provisional line between the two countries, it was said.

Both disputing governments have accepted the state department proposal and it is expected commissioners from all three countries will be chosen shortly.

Between four and five hundred square miles of territory is understood to be involved in the dispute.

EQUALIZATION FEE REMAINS

MCNARY-HAUGEN BILL TO BE REPORTED TOMORROW.

SOME MODIFICATIONS

Other Provisions Objectionable to President Coolidge Have Been Changed.

Washington, Mar. 20.—The House agriculture committee today approved the equalization fee of the McNary-Haugen bill, to which President Coolidge objects.

The vote for the fee was 13 to 8. The bill probably will be voted a favorable report to the House tomorrow, chairman Haugen announced.

Seven Republicans and six Democrats voted to retain the equalization fee. Opposing were six Republicans and two Democrats.

Haugen said after the vote that the equalization fee is the only section in the measure opposed to administration views, other provisions having been modified in accordance with President Coolidge's ideas, including the provision permitting him to appoint the Federal Farm Board directly.

Follows Long Hearings.

The vote today followed extensive hearings begun by the committee over two months ago, followed by a long executive session. Under the bill, the equalization fee will be applied in case the loan provision of the measure will not adequately provide for marketing surpluses.

A loan fund of $400,000,000 is provided and the bill permits formation of "pools" for purposes of borrowing from the fund. Cooperative associations are authorized to organize into financial corporations under state laws.

Voting for the fee were: Republicans, Purnell, Indiana; Hall, North Dakota; Andresen, Minnesota; Adkins, Illinois; Menges, Pennsylvania; Haugen, Iowa; and Thompson, Ohio.

Democrats: Swank, Oklahoma; McSweeney, Ohio; Kinchelow, Kentucky; Fulmer, South Carolina; Rubey, Missouri; Jones, Texas.

Voting against were: Republicans, Fort, New Jersey; Williams, Illinois; Pratt, New York; Clarke, New York; Hope, Kansas; Ketcham, Michigan.

Democrats: Aswell, Louisiana; Doyle, Illinois.

To Start Over on Muscle Shoals.

Washington, March 20.—The House military affairs committee rejected today all bills presented to it for disposition of Muscle Shoals and decided to begin tomorrow to draft a measure of its own.

Short Haul Bill Reported.

Washington, March 20.—The Gooding bill to prevent railroads from charging relatively higher freight rates for short than for long hauls was reported to the Senate today by the Interstate Commerce Committee.

Bird Bill Up Again.

Washington, Mar. 20.—The Norbeck migratory bird bill was taken up by the Senate today on motion of Senator Curtis, Republican floor leader, without objection from advocates of flood control and farm relief legislation, who sidetracked the measure yesterday.

J. D. Dickerson Ill.

P. P. Dickerson of Butler, Missouri arrived in Maryville Saturday to be with his father, J. D. Dickerson, 302 East Sixth street, who has been in very poor health for about three weeks. Mr. Dickerson was reported not improved today.

DIFFER AS TO HARDING

WALSH TAKES ISSUE WITH NYE ON PROPOSED PROBE.

INVOLVES PAPER SALE

Senate Committee to See if Bonds Were Paid for Marion Star.—Won't Call Al Smith.

Washington, March 20. — Senator Walsh of Montana took issue today with Chairman Nye of the Senate Teapot Dome committee, who had announced the committee felt compelled to investigate sale of the Marion, Ohio Star by the late President Harding.

Walsh said the committee may or may not undertake the investigation and certainly would not unless some authentic information is received indicating that some of Continental Trading Company bonds were involved in the deal.

"It is exceedingly unfortunate that such a statement (as Nye's) was made," Walsh told the United Press.

Differed on Procedure.

Walsh has been conducting the investigation, although Nye is chairman of the committee.

Recently some differences have arisen between Walsh and Nye over methods of procedure, and Walsh did not accompany the committee on its recent trip to Chicago.

A violation of the corrupt practices act may have been shown in two Republican campaign contributions uncovered at the Chicago hearings, Senator Walsh said today.

He announced he planned further investigation of the $4,000 contribution of the Corn Products Company and the $2,000 contribution of the Congress Hotel Corporation to ascertain if prosecutions are warranted.

Walsh said the corrupt practices act restrains any contributions of corporations to political campaign funds.

First Intimation.

This was the first intimation that any prosecutions could be undertaken in connection with the new investigation, Walsh and others agreeing that the statute of limitations makes prosecutions generally inadvisable.

The Corn Products donation was revealed by George W. Lamb, employe of the company, and the Congress Hotel gift was made known by John Burke, hotel manager.

Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York will not be called by the Senate Teapot Dome committee to ascertain if Harry Sinclair, indicted oil man, contributed liberally to his 1920 gubernatorial campaign, Chairman Nye announced today.

Concerns Oil Bonds Only.

"The committee cannot go into the question of whether Smith appointed Sinclair a state racing commissioner or whether Sinclair gave a campaign contribution to the New York Governor," Nye said. "Our investigation is confined to the bonds of the Continental Trading Co."

Senator Robinson, Republican, Indiana, said that he did not intend to let his charges rest that Sinclair was a liberal Smith campaign contributor, even if the committee intended to ignore them. He announced he would soon make a speech to the Senate setting forth what facts he can privately develop about the matter.

This development came after a swift series of events.

Nye let it be known the committee would inquire into the sale of the Marion Star in 1923 by the late President Harding; and previously there accumulated a mass of confusing and conflicting information about the committee's "mystery witness."

To See if Bonds Were Paid.

The committee will seek ,Nye said, to ascertain if any Continental Liberty bonds were involved in any way in the sale of the Harding paper. He has no information that the oil bonds were involved but he believes a private inquiry into the matter will be necessary in view of unsubstantiated reports concerning the deal which have been current in Washington.

Nye now feels the committee may have been misled by information it

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Weather

Fair and warmer tonight and Wednesday; above freezing tonight.

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WORK ON NO. 71 TO BE STARTED IMMEDIATELY

Construction Outfit Is Unloaded at Savannah—Survey South From Barnard.

The road construction outfit of E. W. Kolterman, contractor, has been unloaded at Savannah, and work will be put under way at once on the grading and bridging of highway No. 71 in Andrew and Nodaway counties, it was stated today at the office of the division highway engineer at St. Joseph.

The work will not begin at the end of the present paving at Savannah, as there is a gap of about two and one-half miles on which the contract has not yet been let, but which will be awarded soon.

M. S. McGinnis is the project engineer for the project.

Surveyors were working last Saturday surveying from the Barnard road south to the White Cloud creek on the new road of No. 71 highway.

Merger of Big Wire Companies Rumored

New York, Mar. 20.—Negotiations have been resumed for a consolidation of the International Telephone and Telegraph Company and the Mackay Companies in a $300,000,000 merger, Wall street heard today. Neither company would comment but it was said that the deal has reached the stage where only the consent of Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Postal Commercial system, is required to bring about the fusion.

Corn Prices Up With Foreign Trade Report

Chicago, March 20.—Reports that 500,000 bushels of corn had been bought here for foreign countries sent all future deliveries of corn sharply higher today on the Chicago board of trade.

The reports, received shortly before the close, reversed a declining market and all deliveries closed more than a cent up. Other grains also reacted to the buoyancy in corn and closed higher.

Unemployment Report Termed Not Serious

Washington, March 20. — President Coolidge has been told by Secretary of Labor Davis that the unemployment report being compiled by the Labor Department discloses no condition that might be termed serious.

In some localities, according to information that has reached the President, a few more men are out of work now that when the last Labor Department report was made, while other localities reveal a slight increase in employment, and in still others statistics cannot be gathered.

Fall Will Ask for Trial Continuance

Washington, March 20.—Albert B. Fall, former Secretary of the Interior, and lessor of Teapot Dome, will ask Justice Jennings Bailey in District of Columbia supreme court Thursday for a continuance of the Fall-Sinclair conspiracy trial, scheduled for April 2, on grounds of illness, William E. Leahy, his attorney announced today.

The Parnell Bank, Parnell, today filed suit in circuit court against Port A. and Rhoda A. Evans for collection of three notes alleged due. The Bank is suing for $109, $500 and $170, the principals of the notes, 8 per cent interest and 10 per cent attorney fees.

Mrs. William Utter of Chattanooga, Tenn., arrived yesterday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lucas.

STATE AUDITOR.

L. D. THOMPSON
Republican Candidate
for State Auditor

Among the state candidates at the congressional convention today was L. D. Thompson, present state auditor, who is a candidate for re-election. Mr. Thompson served as state treasurer from 1921 to 1924 and then was elected state auditor. His home is in New Bloomfield, Callaway County.

DELEGATES AS SLATED

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First M. E. Church where a dinner was served by the Ladies Aid Society of the church with the Maryville Republicans as hosts. Music was furnished by Yehle's orchestra.

Woodhull Asks for a Dry.

The Rev. W. S. Woodhull was called on for a few words by Mr. Manville. The Reverend Mr. Woodhull, after welcoming the delegates, said that it was his belief that the party which nominated a man for President who was for the enforcement of the eighteenth amendment would command the moral sentiment of the people of this country over a candidate who is wet or who "straddles the fence."

From the M. E. Church the delegates were taken for a trip to the State Teachers College under the guidance of Bert G. Voorhees of St. Joseph, a member of the board of regents, and W. F. Phares.

The committees:

Permanent Organization.

Nodaway, J. H. Sewell; Atchison, Mrs. Gertrude Bund; Platte, George J. Baumgardt; Buchanan, Herman Hess, W. P. Hohen, the Rev. W. B. Hill, C. G. Hilson, Mrs. G. W. Ruwwe; Andrew, Henry Bruns; Holt, Mrs. S. F. Stalcup.

Credentials.

Nodaway, Hubert Garrett; Atchison, Clark McCall; Platte, D. M. Knight; Buchanan, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, Fred Knudson, the Rev. C. P. Morrow, Mrs. Ella Young, E. E. Gard; Andrew, Mrs. Irma Etchison; Holt, O. E. Emery.

Resolutions.

Nodaway, L. R. Sims; Atchison, William Shandy; Platte, W. F. Saunders; Buchanan, Meyer Gordon, J. B. Abercombie, E. B. Wilkerson, Mrs. A. D. Cole, W. N. Robertson; Andrew, C. A. Hantley; Holt, C. M. Marston.

Convention Notes.

The circuit court room of the courthouse where the Republican Congressional convention was held today was decorated yesterday by the county committee in patriotic colors. The visitors were greeted by a large arc, decorated in red, white and blue streamers, which extended over the judge's bench. Two American flags on pedestals were placed inside the railing and bunting covered the railing.

A picture of Lincoln had been placed back of the bench.

The Buchanan county delegation of fifty members, was seated in the central portion of the room, while on the south side row of seats the other delegations from Platte, Atchison, Holt, Andrew and Nodaway county were seated.

An elephant made of card board, in which the letters "G. O. P." were formed, was hung from the front of the arc.

Two former residents of Maryville in attendance at the convention today were Mrs. O. C. Hanna and George C. Tool of St. Joseph.

T. W. Alford of the Kansas City Star, and Warren Adams of the St. Joseph News-Press attended the convention today to represent their papers. C. M. Marston, editor of the Maitland Herald, and L. R. Sims of the Burlington Junction Post, are delegates to the convention.

William R. Schneider of St. Louis, a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, and Senator Larry Brunk of Aurora, a candidate for the Republican nomination for state treasurer, were in Maryville today to attend the Republican Fourth Congressional convention.

Schneider is speaker pro tem of the state legislature and has attacked the candidacy of Judge Caulfield for the Republican nomination on the ground he had "been picked by Boss Kochi" of St. Louis.

Jerry Kuntz of the inheritance tax department at Jefferson City was a visitor at the convention this afternoon. Mr. Kurtz was here in the interest of C. E. ("Gene") Stephens, who is now state treasurer and is a candidate for secretary of state.

The convention was well attended. Nearly all of the county delegates from over the district were present.

Radio Corporation Stock Up Some More

General Motors Runs Second in Point of Advance; Heavy Buying in Railroad Shares.

New York, Mar. 20.—Radio Corporation started on another rampage on the stock exchange today with the buying inaugurated with a block of 10,000 shares changing hands at 140, up 3 points from yesterday's close. Long strings of the issue then appeared on the tape, harking back to the sensational spurt of two weeks ago. The price rose steadily with the increased volume of dealings until 152½ was reached in the early afternoon. That represented a gain of 15½ points from the previous close of 137.

General Motors ran second in point of advance, but it scored a new high record for the present shares at 173, up 5 points.

Word that President Coolidge has received assurances that Congress will take up the railroad consolidation bill and probably pass it brought heavy buying into railroad shares which would profit by new alignments.

Information from Wilmington that DuPont interests disposed of the 114,000 shares of U. S. Steel held for the Du Pont Company brought a sharp drop in steel in the early dealings, but the stock quickly recovered.

Stocks of Mackay Companies and International Telephone and Telegraph Company advanced in early dealings but lost all the gains subsequently, Mackay declining 6 points from the previous close to 125 after having touched 134.

Chicken Thief Now in Jail at Oregon

John ("Buck") Davidson, was caught stealing chickens from the W. H. McPike farm, five miles northwest of Maitland, and is now lodged in the Oregon jail, C. M. Marston, editor of the Maitland Herald, said today. Mr. Marston was here as a delegate to the Fourth Congressional district Republican convention.

Davidson was working on the McPike farm and lived in a tenant house. McPike had missed his chickens during the winter and last Saturday night when he went to Maitland told his neighbor to keep watch at the farm. The neighbor saw a light in the chicken house and as Davidson was driving away halted him and found chickens in the automobile.

Mr. Marston said the Holt county officials were giving considerable attention to the apprehension of chicken thieves.

CONTROVERSY OVER FATE OF BOY CRIMINALS

Boonville, Mo., Mar. 20.—A controversy over the disposition that shall be made of two boys now serving terms in the Missouri state reformatory here is on between Gov. Sam Baker and the Rev. E. J. Flanagan of Omaha, head of Father Flanagans Boys' home.

The boys, Edward Shetron, 7 years old, and his brother, Ernest, 9, were sentenced to the reformatory for two years each for breaking and entering a store. Father Flanagan demanded of Governor Baker that the boys be released from the reformatory and either sent to the State Children's Home in Carrollton or turned over to his care.

Governor Baker replied that the laws of Missouri will not permit the transfer of the boys to the Carrollton home or to Father Flanagan's care because they are criminals.

This argument has failed to stay Father Flannagan's efforts in behalf of the boys. He said the laws of Missouri, or any other state, that declare boys of those ages to be criminals, should be enough to take that stigma from children and send them to some institution which does not bear the name of reformatory or prison.

"Whatever the circumstances," wrote Father Flanagan to Governor Baker, "little children of those ages are not criminals. But if they get the label of criminal fastened to them and are thrown with older boys who are criminally inclined, these boys will be lost to society and to themselves."

Father Flanagan has indicated that he will ask that a bill be introduced in the next Missouri legislature to permit young boys to be cared for outside the reformatory.

The father of the two boys abandoned his family and the mother was reported employed in St. Louis.

Read the Want Ads.

THEIR DEATHS NOT IN VAIN?

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be joined by Secretary Wilbur.

Died Peaceful Death.

The preliminary investigation furnished much information on the tragic death of the forty men. Of paramount interest to their relatives and to the country as a whole was that they died a peaceful death. Most of them apparently slipped into unconsciousness from partial asphyxiation and died without awakening.

All forty were alive for a considerable period after the sinking of the S-4. The six in the torpedo room lived the longest. It was they who, headed by Lieut. Graham N. Fitch, for three days maintained communication with those who tried to rescue them by signaltapping on the hull.

They died sleeping in their bunks. Only Lieutenant Fitch stayed on his feet, maintaining his duty as an officer in the pitch darkness 100 feet under water, taking care of his men, ordering them to lie quiet to conserve the air, and keeping up his tapping on the hull with a hammer or wrench. The spot where he had worn the paint off the hull by his rappings remained as silent testimony to is valor.

Still Oxygen Ieft.

Oxygen still remained in one of the tanks, showing clearly that Fitch had been saving it as a last resort and that the end must have come to him unaware, so that he never had the chance to use it.

The hole cut in the submarine by the Paulding was surprisingly small—about one foot by three. It was partly plugged by the bow of the Paulding, which was wrenched off. Capt. E. L. King, in charge of salvage operations, said the hole was not sufficient to sink the vessel.

It was believed that when the collision came the apparatus of the S-4 was set for a "crash dive" and she sank down of her own accord due to the flooding of her ballast tanks. Then, it seemed, the men were driven from the control room, either by chlorine gas from the batteries or fumes from burning electrical insulation. The thirty-four men aft and amidships sealed themselves in the two aft compartments, where they died.

To Make Exhaustive Report.

Lieut. Arthur Smith and Lieut. E. P. N. Eldridge, board members, were accompanied by Lieut. William E. Snyder an assistant communication officer and the commander of the submarine S-6. The last three were to serve as technical advisors. When they have finished their investigation, an exhaustive report will be made to the navy department. It is hoped to formulate new safety devices, better means of sustaining life after a collission, further safeguards against such collisions, and faster methods of rescue work in case a submarine is sunk.

They first went to the torpedo chamber. A small two-celled flashlight, with an ordinary pocket watch attached to the end was found. Occasional use of the flashlight must have supplied the only light the entombed six had after the submarine was struck.

250 Questions to Answer.

The two board members had with them a list of 35 questions for which they expect to find answers in the torpedo room. The questions are part of a list of 250 technical questions which must be answered by the investigators for the Navy Department.

After the torpedo room has been examined, workers in the navy yard will remove the ammunition in the compartment.

The investigators so far have found nine detonators, several four-inch shells and as yet undetermined number of torpedoes and small arms.

A difference of one foot in the positions of the Paulding and the S-4 would have prevented the 40 naval casualties, it was announced.

Coolidge Gives Esch Recess Appointment

President Regrets Senate's Rejection of Commissioner.—Considers His Experience Valuable.

Washington, March 20.—President Coolidge has given Interstate Commerce Commissioner John J. Esch a recess appointment lasting until adjournment of the Senate so Esch may conclude certain work already begun on the commission. The President was represented today, however, as regarding the Senate's rejection of Esch's renomination as final.

The President is known to regret the Senate's action since he holds Esch's experience would be valuable to the commission. Mr. Coolidge also feels that Senate objections such as that of Esch, which constitute virtually a review of interstate commerce commission decisions, may act to prevent obtaining proper men for the important commission posts. Esch's attitude on the lake cargo cases caused the Senate to reject his renomination.

DIFFER AS TO HARDING

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received from its mystery witness, M. B. Frederick, American Railroad Express Company agent at Washington, Ill. Frederick reaveled privately to the committee that in January this year he had received orders from a Sinclair Oil Company employee in Chicago to redirect to a Washington, D. C., judge a package which had been erroneously addressed to Washington, Ill.

The committee now believes the package may have been a Christmas gift sent by the son-in-law of Chief Justice Martin of the District of Columbia court of appeals. The son, who is employed by the Sinclair Refining Company, Chicago, sent a package of Christmas cards which was delayed en route, Martin said.

To Hear Democratic Treasurer.

The committee will meet tomorrow to hear Wilbur Marsh, Waterloo, Iowa, former treasurer of the Democratic national committee and Merritt Baldwin, Meriden, Conn., former confidential secretary to Sinclair. Marsh has been called in connection with the story related to the committee in Chicago by Irl Hipsley that the late Fred W. Upham, treasurer of the Republican national committee, had a tacit understanding with Marsh to permit them both to evade filing accurate campaign statements in 1923. Marsh has denied the charge.

Baldwin has been called to see if he knew anything of Sinclair's financial arrangements with politicians.

The Robinson charges against Smith, concerning which Nye said he also had some private information, climaxed a sensational four hour debate in the Senate late yesterday when both Republicans and Democrats bared their campaign animosities over the Teapot Dome affair.

The high spot of the debate came when Borah decried the actions of his party in the oil matter.

Dencunced by Borah.

"For mere slimy, sordid betrayal of a public trust, I know of nothing to be compared in meanness and vulgarity of purpose with the group of men who met in 'The Little Green House,'" Borah said. He charged that the oil deal which was arranged at the Chicago Republican convention was carried out in the famous little green house on K street after President Harding was elected.

Senators Blaine, LaFollette and Reed of Missouri demanded that all those who had a hand in the matter be driven from public office. They contended Borah's action in raising money to repay the $160,000 Sinclair contribution would have no beneficial effect.

Meantime Borah's fund was growing only slowly. About $400 came in yesterday to give a grand total of cash on hand of about $2,000, although more than $2,000 more had been pledged.

Owners Welcome Investigation.

Investigation of President Harding's sale of the Marion (Ohio) Star will be welcomed by owners of the paper, Lewis H. Brush, and Roy D. Moore, they announced today.

Moore said they would assist committee members "in every way possible" in their inquiries. He denied any Continental Trading Company securities were used in completing the sale of the paper.

On Endurance Flight.

St. Paul, Minn., Mar. 20.—Gene Shank, St. Paul law student aviator, took off at 1:17 p. m. today from White Bear Lake on an attempt to break the world's endurance flight record. He carried only 120 gallons of gasoline, but planned to re-fuel in the air tomorrow.

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The Campaign Log

March 20.—By United Press.

The Leland Stanford University Alumni Association, with 25,000 members, endorsed the candidacy of Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover for the Republican Presidential nomination. Hoover is an alumnus of Stanford.

Presidential primaries were under way in North Dakota today with little interest manifest. Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York is the only Democrat and Frank O. Lowden the only Republican who have permitted their names to be used on Presidential ballots.

California headquarters for Senator Thomas J. Walsh, Montana, who seeks support of the California delegation for the Democratic Presidential nomination, were opened in San Francisco. Walsh adherents claimed they would carry the California delegation against Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York and Senator James A. Reed of Missouri.

William H. Hull, chairman of the New York State Hoover committee, repeated that the Commerce Secretary would have 47 of New York State's delegates at the Republican national convention.

ARTIST TRIO HERE MONDAY

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pany, the first distinction of its kind ever accorded an American. Even Anna Pavlowa, the celebrated Russian dancer has been enthusiastic about Miss Tell and described her as "The most perfect American girl."

A Milwaukee Girl.

Sylvia Tell was born in Milwaukee, Wis. Unlike most people who turn out to be celebrities, she doesn't claim to have been a precocious and extraordinary child. There is no record that she arose in the night to dance as the infant Handel did to play. On the contrary, for years her dancing gift was not ever suspected by those interested in her life and progress. She was merely a very graceful and rather delicate little girl.

Because she was delicate, she began taking up folk dancing at a night school in Chicago. Here it was after a time that Dr. Ziegfield of the Chicago Music College discovered her. Then her study of dancing began in earnest. For four years, up until February, 1918, she worked constantly and unremittingly to perfect herself in the art, under the direction of a European ballet mistress. That her time during those four years was more than amply filled is evidenced by a recital of a few of her activities. She kept up with her regular school work all the time, took her lessons and practiced dancing for hours every day, taught a number of pupils of her own, studied music, appeared at innumerable recitals, benefits and musicals and spent what little spare time she had in attending the theatre and the opera, observing the methods of famous dancers or wandering through the slums of the city accompanied by her mother, studying foreign types and ways, in order that her future characterizations should be perfect in every detail.

A Celebrity at 16.

On Nov. 18, 1918—her sixteenth birthday—Miss Tell made her debut with the Chicago Opera Company in "Traviata." What she did with her great opportunity on that occasion is a subject upon which Miss Tell was too delightfully modest to enlighten anyone. At any rate she was 16 and unknown one day and the next day her picture was in all the metropolitan newspapers, between Amelita Galli-Curci and Lucien Muratore, and with her face and her caption line every bit as big and important-looking as theirs.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

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TAKE PRIDE IN PARTY RECORD

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trict is entitled to a delegate-at-large to the national convention to be held in Kansas City, and that we unanimously endorse Mrs. G. L. Zwick of St. Joseph as a delegate-at-large and urge the delegates from the various counties in this district to the state convention to be held in St. Joseph to vote for her for this position."

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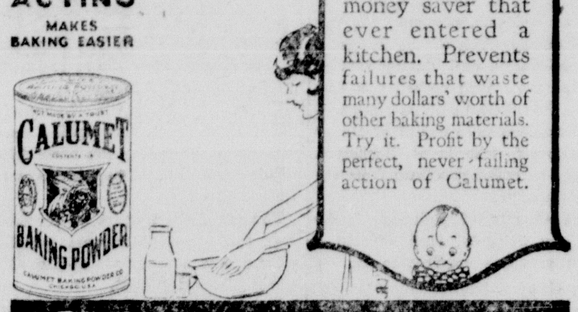

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SOCIETY

P. E. O. Yearbook For 1928-1929 Has Been Issued

Chapter L, P. E. O. Maryville, has issued its 1928-1929 year book. The book is the same in design as the one issued last year. A tan and brown composition is used for the inside pages with a white cover lettered in gold.

The contents of the book:

Officers

President, Miss Nell Hudson.

Vice-president, Mrs. Eva May Roseberry.

Recording Secretary, Mrs. Bess Dragoo.

Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Anna Knox.

Treasurer, Mrs. Mildred Deatherage.

Guard, Mrs. Catherine Gray.

Chaplain, Mrs. Maggie Robinson.

Pianist, Mrs. Nan D. Bronson.

Committees

Program: Miss Hope, Mrs. Van Cleve, Mrs. Knox, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Roseberry, Mrs. Gray.

Finance: Mrs. Marcell, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Wright.

Courtesy: Miss Anthony, Mrs. Phares, Miss Helen Todd.

Publicity: Mrs. Frank, Mrs. Garrett, Miss Hopkins, Mrs. Person, Mrs. Reuillard, Mrs. Wadley.

By-Laws: Miss Todd, Miss Bowman.

Programs should not exceed one hour in length.

Meetings

Second and fourth Saturdays

April Fourteenth: Contemporary American Fiction: Survey of Field of Fiction, Mrs. Phares; Book Review, Miss Brumbaugh; Music, Miss Fields; Hostesses, Mrs. Kurtz, Mrs. Wadley.

April Twenty-eighth: Exemplification of Ritual: Hostesses, Mrs. Crow, Mrs. Frank.

May Twelfth: Musical Tea. Hostesses, Mrs. Phares, Mrs. Allender.

May Twenty-sixth: Annual Luncheon. Hostesses, Mrs. Corwin, Mrs. Wadley, Mrs. Kurtz, Miss Anthony, Mrs. Fields, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Deatherage, Mrs. Emma Bellows.

June Ninth: Annual Picnic. Hostess, Mrs. Roseberry. Officers in charge.

Vacation: July, August.

September Twenty-second: Contemporary American Poetry: Roll Call: Response from Favorite Poet; Bliss Carman, Mrs. Corwin; Edna St. Vincent Millay, Mrs. Marcell; Marguerite Wilkerson, Mrs. Garrett; Joyce Kilmer, Mrs. Miller. Hostesses, Mrs. Lippman, Mrs. Person.

October Thirteenth: Contemporary American Short Story: Rupert Hughes, Mrs. Richey; Dorothy Canfield, Mrs. Dragoo; Henry Van Dye, Mrs. Crow; Music, Mrs. Hake. Hostesses, Miss Hope, Mrs. Wright.

Hallowe'en Party.

October Twenty-seventh: Hallowe'en Party, B. I. L.'s as guests; Hostesses, Mrs. Gray, Miss Hope, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Dragoo, Miss James, Mrs. Crow, Mrs. Hake, Miss Hudson, Mrs. Godbey, Mrs. Richey, Mrs. Allender, Miss Hopkins, Mrs. Wright.

November Tenth: Education Day. Program, Mrs. Lippman; Hostesses, Miss Hopkins, Mrs. Ella Walton Bellows.

November Twenty-fourth: Contemporary American Short Story: Zona Gale, Miss Fields; Thomas Bailey Aldrich, Mrs. Person; O. Henry, Mrs. Emma Bellows; Music, Miss Helen Todd. Hostesses, Mrs. Knox, Mrs. Robinson.

December Eighth: Contemporary American Poetry: Vachel Lindsay, Miss Hopkins; Edgar A. Guest, Mrs. Roseberry; Robert Frost, Mrs. Wadley; Amy Lowell, Mrs. Wright. Hostesses, Miss Hudson, Mrs. Marcell.

December Twenty-second: Christmas Party: Exchange of gifts. Hostesses, Mrs. Garrett, Mrs. Bronson.

January Twelfth: Founders' Day: Program, Mrs. Kurtz; Hostesses, Mrs. Richey, Miss Bowman.

January Twenty-Sixth: Contemporary American Drama: Program, Mrs. Van Cleve; Music, Mrs. Bronson; Hostesses, Mrs. Hake, Miss Anthony.

Valentine Party.

February Ninth: Valentine Party: B. I. L.'s as guests. Hostesses, Mrs. Robinson, Miss Todd, Miss Helen Todd, Mrs. Frank, Miss May Anthony, Mrs. Knox, Mrs. Reuillard, Mrs. Ella Walton Bellows, Miss Bowman, Miss Brumbaugh, Mrs. Van Cleve, Mrs. Bronson Mrs. Marcell.

February Twenty-third: Constitution and State By-Laws: Program, Mrs. Frank; Annual Dues; Hostesses, Mrs. Fields, Miss Fields.

March Ninth: Election of Officers: Hostesses, Mrs. Person, Mrs. Corwin.

March Twenty-third: Contemporary American Drama: Program, Miss Hudson; Hostesses, Mrs. Van Cleve, Mrs. Miller.

Mrs. Nellie Allender, Miss Hettie Anthony, Miss May Anthony, Mrs. Mabel Beattie, Miss Lucille Brumbaugh, Mrs. Emma Bellows, Miss Estelle Bowman, Mrs. Nan D. Bronson, Mrs. Carrie Corwin, Mrs. Hazel Crow, Mrs. Mildred Deatherage, Mrs. Bess Dragoo, Mrs. Ollie Fields, Miss Mary Fields, Mrs. Maude Frank, Mrs. Jestine Garrett, Mrs. Margaret C. Godbey, Mrs. Catherine Gray, Miss Fannie Hope, Mrs. Mary Hake, Miss Carrie Hopkins, Miss Nell Hudson, Miss Minnie James, Mrs. Anna Knox, Mrs. Inda Kurtz, Mrs. Myrtle Lippman, Mrs. Grace Marcell, Mrs. Effie Miller, Mrs. Mary Alice Person, Mrs. Maude Phares, Mrs. Lena Reuillard, Mrs. Effie Bell Richey, Mrs. Maggie Robinson, Miss Helen Todd, Miss Mabel Todd, Mrs. Catherine Van Cleve, Mrs. Hattie Wadley, Mrs. Mary Evans Wright, Mrs. Eva May Roseberry.

Royal Neighbors.

The Royal Neighbors will meet at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the I. O. O. F. hall.

Monday Bridge.

Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker entertained members of the Monday Bridge Club yesterday afternoon. Mrs. H. A. Foster and Mrs. C. C. Corwin were additional guests. Mrs. E. F. Wolfert made high score.

Birthday Surprise.

About thirty of the Graham High School students, with well filled dinner baskets, surprised Miss Ivan Keller Sunday. The occasion was her birthday. Miss Keller is a former student of the Graham school and now resides in the Belleview Community west of Maitland.

Daughters of Isabelle.

The Daughters of Isabelle, Conception Junction, entertained their members Sunday afternoon with a St. Patrick's entertainment. A musical program was given and for the rest of the afternoon Irish wit furnished the entertainment.

A luncheon of brick ice cream in shamrock design, cakes, nuts, mints and coffee was served. Twenty-six members were present.

Theater Party.

The Maryville Alumna chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority was entertained by Miss Bess Todd last night. A theater party at the Missouri was followed with a two-course luncheon at Lewis.'

Guests present were: Mrs. Gertrude Richards, San Francisco and Mrs. William Langan. Members present were: Mrs. R. B. Montgomery, Mrs. H. H. Mutz, Mrs. Lora Meacham, Miss Loretta Jones, Miss Grace Langan, Mrs. Emmet Scott, Mrs. June Blagg and Mrs. A. T. Estes.

Hagan-McCoy.

Miss Vesper Hagan and Clark B. McCoy of Bedford, Ia., were married at the residence of the Rev. Guy L. Prather of the Baptist church, at noon today. They were accompanied by the bride's mother, Mrs. Ella Hagan, and Dr. Roy V. Canon, a friend of the bridegroom. The couple returned to Bedford after the ceremony. They will live on a farm near Bedford.

Sunday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur I. Wray entertained at dinner Sunday at their home northeast of Maryville. Plates were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bailey and daughters, Mildren and Eva of Maryville; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bloomfield, Mr. and Mrs. Byron B. Wray, Miss Alma Wray, Walter Davis, Glen Bloomfield and children, Elvet and Louise.

Dinner-Bridge-Dance.

A dinner-bridge-dance will be held at the Maryville Country Club, Thursday night. The committee in charge is composed of: Chairman, Mrs. Fred Wolfers; Mrs. William F. Phares, Mrs. Ralph Berger, Mrs. C. D. Bellows and Mrs. Clun Price.

Surprise Party.

A group of friends surprised Miss Helen Holt Friday night in celebration of her birthday. Games and music were diversions of the evening. Popcorn and candy were served by Misses Eldora Nichols, Roberta Willhoyte, and Elsie Rogers.

Those present were: Misses Augusta Vert, Lois Margaret Thompson, Lucile Duncan, Roberta Willhoyte, Eldora Nichols, Elsie Rogers, Beatrice Cox, Rebecca Shell, Pauline Thompson, Clara McGinness, Netta Mae Rogers, Violet Norman, Helen Holt; Oliver Manley, Herman Thompson, Roy Harrington, Leland Nichols, Kenneth Thompson, Lester and William Norman, Floyd Wyman, Dale McGinness, Truman and Billy Shelton, Shelton Thompson, Jimmie McGinness, Lester Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holt and Beverly Joe, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holt.

Celebrate Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Curry of Parnell were given a surprise basket dinner at the home of their daughter, Mrs. C. C. Hood and Mr. Hood, east of Gaynor Sunday. The event was in celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Curry's forty-fourth wedding anniversary.

At noon dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Cooper, Sheridan; Hiram Caudle and Miss Stella Caudle, Hopkins; Fred Caudle, Sheridan; Mrs. G. L. Curry and children, Dorothy, Laura, Charlie, Blanche, Will, Robert, Byron and Nathan, Miss Willa Porch, A. J. Curry and D. V. Curry, Sheridan; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hood and son, Harold and the honor guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Curry. Two sons were unable to be present also one daughter, Mrs. Howard C. Cary of Paso Robles, Calif., was unable to attend.

St. Patrick's Dance.

A St. Patrick's social dance, sponsored by Robert O'Riley was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Joslin, Burlington Junction, Saturday evening. The following persons were present: Mr. and Mrs. Francis O'Riley and children, Robert, Phillip, Lola Mary, Frederick, Billie, Paul and Margaret Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnston and children, Aleta Ruth, Frieda Mae, Mabel Fern and Maurice, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Parshall and children, Everett Arnold and Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rhoades, Misses Marguerite, Thelma, Gertrude, Katherine and Lucile O'Riley, Dorothy Cardell, Marjorie Hankins and Tina Merritt; Lawrence Gaukel, William McDonald, John Owens, James and Jack O'Riley, George Cordell, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Joslin and son, Glen, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Joslin and son, Jackie Lee, Emmit Johnston, John Humphrey.

Monday Club.

Mrs. M. A. Peery entertained members of her Monday Bridge Club yesterday. Mrs. T. H. Cook made high score.

Luncheon-Bridge.

Mrs. John Arthur Noid entertained members of her Monday luncheon-bridge club yesterday. Mrs. Phares Sigler made high score.

Dinner-Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reece entertained members of the Monday Bridge Club and their husbands with a dinner bridge last night. High score favors went to Mrs. Clun Price and U. G. Whiffen.

Annual Luncheon.

The annual luncheon and founders' day program of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will be given in the basement of the church by the afternoon and evening auxiliaries of the society at 6:30 p. m. Friday.

The Kings Heralds and the World Friendship Circle will give part of the program and mothers of the members of each organization are especially invited to attend.

Members of the two auxiliaries are asked to take their incense gifts.

All women of the church are invited to attend.

Rockford Meeting.

The Rockford Community club will meet Thursday at the home of Mrs. Will Wells. The roll call will be "What Makes a Living Room Attractive to Me", and interior decoration.

Dinner Last Night.

A dinner was given at 6 o'clock in the Home Economics department of the Maryville high school. Class members attended the dinner. Miss Mable Cook chaperoned the group. A line party to the Missouri Theatre followed the dinner.

Those in the party were: Delberta Mutz, Grace Giest, Laura Warner, Alberta Smith, R. Dell Chick, Virginia Larmer, Margaret Knox, Ruth Kramer, Maude Qualls, Dora Masters, Mary Donna Malotte, Frances Lauber, Frances Shamberger, Florence David, Emma Mae Yeo, Beatrice Campbell, Grace McGinnis, Maxine Holt, Margaret Dearing, Ola Coats, Bonnie Malson, Helen Palmer, Elizabeth Huil, and Miss Cook.

Hear Percy Grainger.

Several persons went to St. Joseph yesterday afternoon to hear Percy Grainger, pianist. Among those who heard the musician were: Mrs. C. C. Lawrence, Robert Lawrence, Thomas Lawrence, Ruth Lawrence, the Rev. R. A. Mitchell, Paschal Monk, Miss Mary Lee Peck, George Peck, William E. Holdridge, Luther Blackwelder, Miss Alyce Hastings and Miss Hildred Fitz.

Dinner Guests.

Ralph Yehle and Eugene Yehle will have as their dinner guests tonight, Charles R. Gardner and Homer T. Phillips.

Gold to Be Sought in Missouri Caves

Expert to Lead in Hunt for Nuggets Legend Says Hidden in Ponce de Leon's Time.

Springfield, Mo., Mar. 20.—Missouri's second treasure hunt within a week will be started in Springfield. Gold nuggets will be the object of the hunt, which will be led by a renowned cave expert.

"Doodle bugs" and similar contrivances for locating treasure are spurned by Dr. Jeri V. Danes of Charles University at Prague, Czecho-Slovakia, who will lead the treasure-trove adventures.

When Dr. Dane arrived here today to explore marvel and fairy caves in this vicinity, he was enthusiastic over the proposed treasure hunting expedition, which was suggested by Mrs. John O'Day who told the story of the treasure.

The nuggets have been hidden in the cave's sealed darkness since the time of Ponce de Leon, Mrs. O'Day said. She related that she received an anonymous letter from New York several years ago, including a chart of the cave and telling how the nuggets had been buried there by a group of Spaniards on an exploring expedition.

Mrs. O'Day, owner of the land on which the cave is situated, gave the chart to an explorer in 1908, she related. The man was killed by poisonous gases in his attempt to find the gold. With him was lost the chart and explorers now will depend upon memory of the older inhabitants of Springfield to get them into the vault where they believe they will find a wealth of gold.

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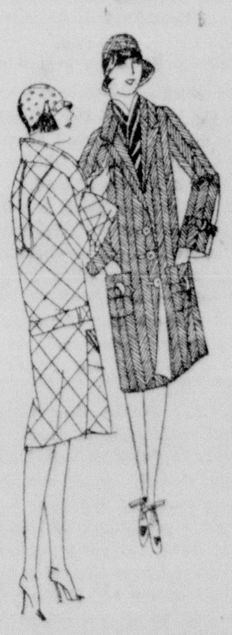

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Place these articles in barrel or other container, in parkway or alley. Do not place in street.

Vacant lots, or other places, that are not cleaned Thursday or Friday, the property owner will be required to clean up at his own expense.

W. O. GARRETT, Mayor.
D. E. HOTCHKIN, Acting Mayor.

Local News

Miss Marie O'Day of Parnell was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

Mrs. C. B. Hornbuckle and son, Glen of Clearmont, were in Maryville yesterday.

Carl Weathermon of Guilford was here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas of Parnell were here yesterday afternoon.

Raymond Spire, west of Maryville, is the owner of a new automobile.

Mrs. Harve England is ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rhoades, Will Squires and mother spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Joslin and family, of Burlington Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova C. Goff of Barnard were shopping in the city yesterday.

Iowa Couple Get License.

A marriage license was issued today to Clark B. McCoy and Vesper Hagan, both of Bedford, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest O. Gooden and daughter, Helen Marie of Odessa, spent the week-end here at the home of Mr. Gooden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gooden. They returned home yesterday. Mr. Gooden is employed in an automobile sales agency at Odessa.

To Come Tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lewis of Pana, Ill., will arrive tomorrow to visit Mr. Lewis' brother, Martin Lewis, sr., and family.

Frank O'Riley Has Operation.

Frank O'Riley of Pickering was operated upon yesterday morning at the St. Francis Hospital for appendicitis. He is reported as doing nicely.

Rankin Lyle Improving.

Rankin Lyle who has been seriously ill is improving. His daughter, Mrs. M. J. Alderman, Marshall, arrived Sunday, and will remain here for the week.

Return to Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Griffith, who were called here by the serious illness of Mrs. Griffith's brother, Lee Owen Anderson, returned to their home in Des Moines, Ia., Monday.

Franks to Return Soon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank, who have been spending the winter in Valparaiso, Fla., will leave there Saturday for Maryville. They will visit Sunday with David Munn, a former resident of Maryville, at Pensacola, Fla. They intend to stop over on their way home at Birmingham, Memphis and St. Louis.

Drive to Atchison.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker and Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Bovard drove to Atchison, Kan., Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Shoemaker's sister, Mrs. D. F. Boyd of Wichita, Kan., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker, here. Mrs. Boyd will visit in Atchison and Kansas City before returning home.

Linvilles Home After Wintering in Texas

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Linville, accompanied by Mrs. Linville's mother, Mrs. C. J. Rees, returned Saturday by motor from Corpus Christi and San Antonio, Tex., where they spent the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Linville left Skidmore on January 1 and were joined later by Mrs. Rees. They enjoyed their trip very much, Mr. Linville said, and had no car trouble at all. They found roads fine until Thursday, when they encountered a heavy snow at Lamar, Mo.

Will Celebrate 52 Years Wedded Life

Mr. and Mrs. James Albert Clark to Have Quiet Observance Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Albert Clark, 514 Prather avenue, celebrate their fifty-second wedding anniversary Thursday. They were married near Skidmore and have been residents of this county since. There will be no special observance of the day.

Mr. Clark is 79 years of age. He was born in Mason County, Kentucky, September 3, 1849, and come to Missouri in 1854. Mrs. Clark before her marriage was Miss Zelda Emaline Brown. She was born on her father's farm near Graham, December 4, 1857.

THE GREAT WAR TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.

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Seventeen British ships, 11 of them of more than 1,600 tons, are sunk by German U-boats within a week.

Seventy-seven Dutch ships, totalling 600,000 tons, are seized by U. S. "for imperative military needs," says a proclamation by President Wilson.

Here Next Week

MISS SYLVIA TELL

American premiere danseuse, who will appear Monday night in the first major entertainment sponsored by the State Teachers College during the spring quarter.

KINDNESS ON THE ROCKS AT AUCTION SALE

College Instructor Favors Woman by Bidding on Brooch, but Never Again.

The rule, "Do unto others as you would have others do unto you," like all other good rules, is broken every now and then.

A large crash was heard at the auction at the Raines Jewelry Co. yesterday when the aforementioned rule was broken into millions or bits—figuratively speaking.

Here's how it happened: An instructor at the State Teachers College stopped at the auction to make a purchase. She was waiting for her article to be offered, when a cameo brooch was put up for sale. A woman standing next her had made a bid of $10 on the brooch. She leaned to the instructor and asked her to please bid on the brooch for her so that after a second bid, the cameo would have to be sold. The teacher obligingly bid a quarter more.

There were no other bids and the instructor's bid purchased the cameo, but——

The woman decided she didn't want the cameo and the faculty member is holding the sack containing the cameo.

Morals: There weren't any.

Attorney-General Won't Be Candidate

"I Have No Money," North T. Gentry, Here Today, Replies to an Inquiry.

North T. Gentry, attorney-general, was in Maryville for a few hours today to make connections for Kansas City and attended the opening of the Fourth Congressional Republican convention.

Attorney-General Gentry left on the 1 o'clock bus for Kansas City, where he had some business before returning to Jefferson City. He had been at Princeton in Mercer County relative to some tax suits in which the state is interested.

Asked whether he would seek any office at the coming elections Attorney-General Gentry replied:

"No, No. I have no money."

Mr. Gentry was a guest at luncheon today of the Round Table Club at the Country Club. He talked on law enforcement and the difficulties encountered under our present jury system. Other guests of the club today were: Fred R. Wolfers, J. C. McDonnell, L. C. Cook, C. E. Wells, H. A. Foster and T. A. Cummins.

Ill With Pneumonia.

Mrs. Mary Brant, east of Maryville, is seriously ill with pneumonia at the St. Francis hospital.

AUNT HET

"I'm a patient woman, but sometimes when I'm nervous I feel like I'll scream if I see Pa's Adam apple go up an' down one more time."

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NEW WEALTH IN DAIRYING

DRY MILK PLANT BOOM TO TWO MISSOURI COUNTIES.

VOLUME IS INCREASING

More and More Farmers Turning to the Cow as Result of Jasper's New Industry.

Jasper, Mo., March 20.—A promising dairying industry in Jasper and Barton counties of Southwestern Missouri and neighboring Kansas territory is receiving considerable impetus from the operation here of a dry milk plant which has a daily capacity of 150,000 pounds of sweet milk.

The extensive consuming market for whole sweet milk which this one plant represents has been the most important single inducement to farmers hereabouts to enter the dairying field. Now the rolling hills of this section, particularly adapted to the production of feeds, one after another are being turned to this remunerative usage.

The basis of this industry is the cow. There are 10,000 of them in a radius of ten miles of Jasper. These cows take the coarse forage and grasses produced on the farms and manufacture it into milk, a product prized the world over, as an article of human food. However, it is in a highly perishable form and not easily transported. This product can be easily delivered to a milk plant which is located in the territory where it is produced. Here, by sanitary handling, it is transformed into a product not susceptible to spoilage and easily transportable. The product is concentrated, containing less than 3 per cent moisture. It is packed for shipment in air-tight, moisture-proof packages. The dry or powdered milk may be stored indefinitely without loss of weight or deterioration in quality.

The volume of milk received at the plant here steadily is increasing as the development of this vicinity with dairy farms becomes more and more intense. This regarded as a nucleus of a dairying industry in Southwestern Missouri which may become as important a basic pursuit here as is dairying in rural Wisconsin.

George D. Walker Funeral Rites Held

Resident Here Sixteen Years Ago Burial This Morning at Miriam Cemetery.

Funeral services for George D. Walker, a resident of Maryville about sixteen years ago, whose death occurred at Columbia Sunday, were held at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Burial was at Miriam cemetery.

The pallbearers were W. A. Miller, Ernest Glover, Charles Kiser, Thomas Penisten, Fred Smith and Charles Viles. The Rev. Guy L. Prather, pastor of the First Baptist Church, was in charge.

Mrs. H. R. Rawson of Jefferson City, a daughter, and Mr. Rawson, accompanied the body to Maryville.

Declares Husband Threatened Her Life

Mrs. Hattie May Melton Files Suit for Divorce and Restoration of Maiden Name.

Alleging that her husband, Alfred C. Melton threatened her life on March 15, Mrs. Hattie May Melton, 302 East Jenkins street, today filed a suit for divorce. Mr. Melton is a barber here.

Mrs. Melton's petition states they were married October 2, 1926, and lived together until March 15 and that her maiden name was Hattie May Jones, which she asks the court to restore.

Besides indignities, the plaintiff alleges her husband failed to provide and support her, that he struck her in the face and knocked her down on March 15 and on other occasions abused and assaulted her.

Hi-Y Will Discuss Right Use of Time

Six Talks to Be Given on Subject at Meeting Tomorrow.—Lewis Moore Leader.

"The Right Use of Time," will be the theme when the Hi-Y Club of the Maryville high school meets at 10:40 o'clock tomorrow morning. Lewis Moore is to be the leader of the meeting. Devotions will be in charge of Donald Houghtaling.

The following talks will be made: "How to Use My Time in Class," Lloyd Jones; "How to Use My Time in Study Hall," Robert Wamsley; "How to Spend My Vacation," Pete Dietz; "How to Spend My Leisure Hours," Harold Daniels; "The Idle Rich and Idle Poor," Robert Wamsley; "The Advantage of Loafing," Charley Phipps.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—

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WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—

"LET HER GO GALLAGHER"

Junior Coghlan, Harrison Ford and Elinor Fair in A baffling murder mystery—drama.

May Drill for Oil Near C. W. Rose Land

$10,000 Bond to Be Posted for 4,000 Foot Test in Oklahoma County.

Charles W. Rose, proprietor of the Rose garage, before long may be joining the ranks of the oil millionaires as a result of proposed oil tests to be made in Ellis county, Oklahoma, where he owns 160 acres of land.

Under present plans, a well will be drilled near Arnett, Okla., without cost to the owners of the land, who are asked only to provide leases. They will receive one-eighth of any oil or gas discovered, and if the gas is shut off instead of being sold, they will receive a rental of $50 a year for each well.

A letter to Mr. Rose from friends in Oklahoma said, in part:

"I believe that we now have a proposition that is worth our assistance. It is a contract, in effect, that if we can get a good block of leases together out there, the party interested will have a detailed geological survey made of the territory and if the indications from that standpoint are satisfactory, that within six months from March 12, 1928, he will, if accepted, put up a bond in the sum of $10,000 to guarantee the commencement of a well within three months from the date of said acceptance and continue the drilling thereof with due diligence until a depth of at least 4,000 feet is reached, unless oil or gas in paying quantities or granite is encountered at a lesser depth.

"The local landowners are signing up, and if the non-residents will come in I believe that we can get this deal through."

Mr. Rose's land is between the Garber oil field, 120 miles to the east, and the Amarillo, Tex., field, seventy miles west, and is near the South Canadian river, which the oil belt seems to be following. A test well eight miles north resulted in finding oil but was plugged, he says.

The geologist who located the Amarillo field and others has assured Mr. Rose that the land near Arnett will produce "barrel for barrel with the Amarillo field."

W. P. Green Improving.

W. P. Green, student at the State Teachers College, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia at the St. Francis hospital, is improving.

Barnard to Vote on School Levy April 3

Total of $1 to Be Submitted.—Five Members of Town Board to Be Elected.

At the Barnard school election, to be held April 3, the voters will pass upon an increase in the levy of 6 mills in addition to the 4 mills authorized by statute. Two directors will be elected for terms of three years. George Cole is president of the present board.

Five members of the town board will be chosen at a town election at the same time.

Property in Skidmore and Burlington Sold

Lot 13 in the third addition to Skidmore has been sold by Dora E. Imboden and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smock to Mary M. Linville for $1,500, according to a warranty deed filed for record today.

H. D. Leonard has sold to Charles Rouse for $150 lot 37 of Ware's addition to Burlington Junction, according to another warranty deed.

Husband Is Charged With Striking Wife

Alfred C. Melton, Maryville barber, today was charged with disturbing the peace on March 15, when he is alleged to have unlawfully assaulted and struck his wife, Mrs. Hattie May Melton.

He was bound over to the April term of circuit court on a $300 bond, which was furnished.

The information charges him with beating his wife on the head and face with clenched fists.

A suit for divorce today was filed against him by Mrs. Melton.

New Supply of '28 Licenses Not Here

Motorists late in purchasing their 1928 owner licenses were turned away from the Maryville Chamber of Commerce today as the original supply of 5,000 tags has been sold and 500 more which were ordered have not been received here yet.

Go To Hamburg.

Mrs. J. C. Trout of Tarkio, and her daughter, Mrs. Earl Braniger, have gone to Hamburg, Ia.

BOTH PARTIES SPLIT IN TEXAS

REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS ALIKE HAVE DISCORD.

A FIGHT OVER HOOVER

Friends of Other Candidates May Call Convention of Their Own—Smith Quarrel Bitter.

Kansas City, Mo., March 20.—A tense situation prevails in both the Republican and Democratic ranks in Texas. Republicans are faced with a possible breach over a movement to send a delegation to the National Republican convention instructed for Herbert Hoover, while the Democrats are divided on the wet and dry question.

The Republican central committee issued a call for the state convention in Dallas May 22, but a revolting element opposed to an instructed delegation has threatened to call a convention of its own. Should this come about, the party will be represented in the national convention by two sets of delegates, each claiming the right to be seated.

R. B. Creager, national committeeman, and leading members of the state central committee are openly pledged to Hoover's cause and control the party organization at present.

Opposed by Coalition.

Friends of Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, Vice-President Charles A. Dawes and Senator Frank Willis of Ohio have formed a coalition to attempt to stop the tide of Hoover sentiment and to prevent if possible a delegation instructed for him.

Democrats are split on the prohibition question and over the party nominee support pledge required from all who participate in precinct and county conventions. The state Democratic committee invoked the order requiring nominee support pledges and the attorney general held the action illegal. Those opposed to the attorney general's ruling now threaten to hold a separate convention to elect delegates to the national convention, creating a situation which parallels the threatened split in the Republican ranks.

Unless neutral ground can be found in the meantime where the opposing factions can compose their differences, the situation promises to become intensely acute.

Moody Against Smith.

Democrats favoring the nomination of Governor Al Smith are waging open warfare with the prohibition group, led by a former assistant secretary of the treasury, Thomas B. Love. The latter charged that advocacy of an uninstructed delegation by Smith's friends was an attempt to deliver Texas into the hands of the "wets."

Governor Dan Moody, mentioned as a running mate for the Democratic nominee, entered the fight against the Smith crowd and former Governor Miriam Ferguson publicly announced her intention to support the New York executive. Moody said "it isn't Smith's religion, its his attitude on religion that's against him." "Ma" Ferguson replied, "Smith's heart beats in unison with the great toiling masses of our people."

Lowden Leads in Missouri.

In Missouri, Lowden appears to have the inside track for the state's delegation. Four district conventions have given their delegates instructions to work for the Illinois man at the state convention to be held in St. Joseph this month. Besides the eight delegates formally instructed for Lowden, thirteen others have publicly announced themselves for him. This gives the Illinois man twenty-one of the twenty-six delegates already chosen in thirteen district conventions.

Four delegates to the state convention are counted in the Hoover column but none have been instructed for him.

Reed to Depend Upon Contributions of $1.00

Several Large Gifts Refused Already, Including One of $500,000, Campaign Managers Say.

Kansas City, Mo., Mar. 20.—The presidential campaign of Senator James A. Reed of Missouri will be conducted from a fund made up of $1 contributions, it has been revealed by campaign managers here.

Decision to accept only small contributions to further Reed's campaign was reached when attention was called to the active part Reed has taken in prosecuting Senate "slush fund" suspects.

Should large contributions be accepted by the Reed organization they would but lay themselves open to ensnarement in campaign fund tricks, managers here said.

Several large contributions already have been refused, it was said, including one gift of $500,000.

Rev. J. H. Thompson Knew "Oldest Mayor"

Hopkins Pastor Once Worked for Iowan, Whose Death Was Announced Yesterday.

A United Press dispatch yesterday in the Democrat-Forum, telling of the death of Chauncy J. Stevens, the "oldest mayor," whose home was in Montour, Ia., had a special interest for the Rev. J. Howard Thompson, pastor of the M. E. church at Hopkins.

"I spent twenty-five years in and around Montour, Tama County, Iowa, and have been intimately acquainted with Mr. Stevens for more than forty years," the Reverend Mr. Thompson writes. "He is one of the best and highest type men of all that section of the country. In my younger days, and working by the month, I was a hired man for a number of months, and found him a very considerate and congenial 'boss,' and a most pleasant man to work for.

"During the time of my working for him, I assisted in building a stone wall in front of his then beautiful home, and on a recent visit to the 'old home town' I noticed with pride that the stone wall was still standing. Only a few years ago, I was a guest in his home and had a very delightful stay in visiting with the 'Grand Old Man.' The memories of those 'other days' are beautiful."

Calles May Extend Own Term Two Years

Mexican President May Call Off This Year's Election.—Otherwise It Looks Like Obregon.

Mexico City, Mar. 20.—The first months of this election year in Mexico have not served in any way to clarify the confusing political tangle growing out of the revolution of last October in which two of three presidential candidates were executed. General Alvaro Obregon presumably will be elected without opposition in July of this year and take office Dec. 1, 1929. The only thing apparently to prevent this is the possibility that President Calles may prorogue his term two additional years.

The presidential term already has been changed by constitutional amendment from four to six years, with no reelection privilege and it is still a question whether Calles may not interpret the law to apply to his present term. There are many who believe he has this purpose in mind, following the example of President Gerardo Machado in Cuba.

Such a move, it is believed, would not necessarily be regarded as hostile to Obregon. The two have been allies for some years and it is considered entirely likely that both might agree that it was inexpedient for Obregon to take office at the beginning of 1929.

The fact that all effective political opposition to Obregon has been eliminated is held against him in some parts of the country, it is contended. Whether that feeling will change between now and election time remains to be seen.

British Sociologists Fear Overpopulation

Claim England's Greatest Problem Is High Birthrate Although It Has Decreased.

London, Mar. 20.—Great Britain is crowding itself into the sea.

Of all the problems which are now engrossing English sociologists, the most important is the question of the rapid over-population of the British Isles. The area of Great Britain is roughly 89,000 square miles. In this space—not twice the size of Pennsylvania—some 44,000,000 people live, or more than one-third as many as are in the whole United States.

Despite the fact that the recently published birth-rate statistics for 1927 showed that Great Britain's number of birth's for that year was the lowest in Europe, and also the lowest since records were first kept of vital statistics, certain sociologists contend that Great Britain is, and will for many years continue to be, over-populated.

Statistics published here recently showed that there are 1,500,000 married couples in Great Britain who are childless. According to the opponents of birth control, more than one-half of these families are deliberately childless.

These opponents of birth control point out that the annual drink bill of Great Britain is 300,000,000, pounds and that the average expenditure per family for one week on the luxuries of drink, tobacco and racing bets is 1 pound.

"It is continually drummed in our ears that we have a million persons unemployed in this country, yet it is a fact that the British women of the working-class in 1928 are better dressed than they were 20 years ago," one prominent opponent of birth control told the United Press.

Kennett "Clean Up Daye."

Kennett.—March 22 and 23 have been designated by Mayor Pankey as "Clean Up Days" for Kennett.

Navy Raises Sunken Submarine

After lying for three months 100 feet below the surface of the sea off Provincetown, Mass., the rammed submarine S-4 was raised Saturday by navy rescue ships. This aerial photo was taken by an NEA photographer just as the S-4 came to the surface, buoyed by pontoons which divers finally succeeded in attaching. The submarine, indicated by arrow, is visible between the two sets of pontoons, with the rescue ship Falcon in the foreground. Forty men lost their lives when the underseandersea craft was rammed Dec. 18 by the coastguard cutter Paulding.

Delegates From 16th District for Lowden

Houston, Mo., March 20.—Republicans of the sixteenth Congressional district here yesterday indorsed the candidacy of Frank O. Lowden of Illinois for president and instructed their delegates to support him in the national convention.

The delegates elected are H. F. Case of Webster County, and O. A. Lloyd of Maries county; alternates, Mrs. Anna Covert of Texas county and Mrs. J. C. Scott of Laclede county.

Resolutions indorsing the administrations of President Coolidge and Gov. Sam Baker were adopted.

$200,000 Sedalia Hospital.

Sedalia—Bonds to the total of $200,000 for erection of a hospital here were authorized at a recent election. The vote was 2,200 for and 709 against.

Ellington to Incorporate.

Ellington.—Citizens of Ellington recently voted to incorporate as a city of the fourth class.

Coolidge to Present Medal to Lindbergh

Flier Hops to Washington After Receiving Woodrow Wilson Award of $25,000 at New York.

Washington, March 21.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh landed at Bolling Field at 1:03 p. m., today from New York. He will receive the Congressional Medal of Honor from President Coolidge tomorrow.

He also plans to take up on short air flights this afternoon and Thursday all senators and representatives who care to accompany him.

New York, March 20.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh last night received the Woodrow Wilson Medal and the Woodrow Wilson Peace Award of $25,000 before a distinguished assembly gathered to pay tribute to him.

Tomorrow Lindbergh receives the Congressional Medal of Honor from President Coolidge, after which he will continue to devote his time to the interests of aviation.

Lindbergh spoke briefly last night in acknowledging an honor which has gone to only two other outstanding champions of peace—Viscount Cecil and Elihu Root.

John W. Davis made the speech of welcome to Lindbergh. Among those at the speakers' table were Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Henry Morgenthau, Raymond B. Fosdick and George W. Norris.

North Dakota Has a Quiet Election

Al Smith and Frank O. Lowden Only Presidential Candidates Filed for Today's Primary.

Bismarck, N. D., Mar. 20.—North Dakota went to the polls today in what was expected to be one of the quietest primaries in the history of the state.

The voters will select Al Smith, of New York, Democrat, and Frank O. Lowden, former Governor of Illinois, Republican, as their presidential choices. No other candidates certified.

State issues and the gubernatorial contest were quiet.

Al Smith Candidacy Not the Vatican's

Holy See Not Meddling in Politics of Other Countries, Says Cardinal Mundelein.

Rome, Mar. 20.—George Cardinal Mundelein of Chicago, left for Paris today, en route to the United States.

Rome, March 20.—Before leaving for Cherbourg to sail for the United States, Cardinal Mundelein of Chicago told reporters that the forthcoming presidential election in the United States had been wholly alien from his conversations with Pope Pius XI, Cardinal Gasparri and other leaders of the Roman Catholic Church.

He emphasized the Holy See was adhering strictly to the time honored policy of not meddling in the political struggles of other countries. He said the Vatican would be just as pleased with the election of either a Catholic or a Protestant.

He concluded that if some few people had the opinion that the candidacy of Gov. Al Smith of New York was really the Vatican's candidacy, then such an opinion was wholly wrong, and groundless.

Brothers Named Executors.

Ira A. Wells and Roy F. Wells of Ravenwood have been appointed executors of the estate of their father, Silas Edward Wells, who died March 16, by Judge Jesse F. Robertson of the probate court.

California Buy $5200 Pump.

California.—The city council here has purchased a pump, costing $5,200, for the new 1646-foot well. It is estimated the new well is capable of furnishing one million gallons of water per day.

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CHARACTERS

PHILO VANCE
JOHN F.-X. MARKHAM, District Attorney of New York City.
MARGARET ODELL (THE "CANARY")
CHARLES CLEAVER, a man about town
KENNETH SPOTSWOODE, a manufacturer
LOUIS MANNIX, an importer
DR. AMBROISE LINDQUIST, a fashionable neurologist
TONY SKEEL, a professional burglar
WILLIAM ELMER JESSUP, telephone operator
HARRY SPIVELY, telephone operator
ERNEST HEATH, Sergeant of the Homicide Bureau

THE STORY THUS FAR

The jewel case in the apartment of the murdered Margaret Odell had been opened with a steel chisel after a futile battering with a poker. This leads Vance to the theory that Skeel did not commit the murder, even though his finger-prints were found, but was hidden in the clothes closet while the girl was strangled by someone else. Vance traces a picture to Alys La Fosse, who informs him that Louis Mannix was in her apartment from ten-thirty of the evening of the murder until two in the morning. Vance also learns something that makes him question Cleaver's alibi.

CHAPTER 29

"What about the summons for speeding?" Markham asked.

"That's for you to explain," said Vance. "But if you'll take my advice you'll send for this Boonton catchpole, and let him have a look at Pop. If he says Cleaver is the man he ticketed, I'll humbly do away with myself."

"Well! That makes it worth trying. I'll have the officer at the Stuyvesant Club this afternoon, and I'll point out Cleaver to him . . . What other staggering revelations have you in store?"

"Mannix will bear looking into." Markham put down his knife and fork and leaned back.

"I'm overcome! Such Himalayan sagacity. With that evidence against him, he should be arrested at once . . Vance, my dear old friend, are you feeling quite normal? No dizzy spells lately? No shooting pains in the head? Kneejerks all right?"

"Futhermore, Doctor Lindquist was wildly infatuated with the Canary, and insanely jealous. Recently threatened to take a pistol and hold a little pogrom of his own."

"That's better." Markham sat up. "Where did you get this information?"

"Ah! That's my secret."

Markham was annoyed.

"Why so mysterious?"

"Needs must, old chap. Gave my word, and all that sort of thing. And I'm a bit quixotic, don't 'y know—too much Cervantes in my youth." He spoke lightly, but Markham knew him too well to push the question.

In less than five minutes after we had returned to the district attorney's office Heath came in.

"I got something else on Mannix, sir; thought you might want to add it to the report I turned in yesterday. Burke secured a picture of him, and showed it to the phone operators at Odell's house. Both of 'em recognized it. He's been there several times, but it wasn't the Canary he called on. It was the woman in Apartment 2. She's named Frisbee, and used to be one of Mannix's fur models. He's been to see her several times during the past six months, and has taken her out once or twice; but he hasn't called on her for a month or more . . . Any good?"

"Can't tell." Markham shot Vance an inquisitive look. "But thanks for the information, Sergeant."

"Bye the bye," said Vance dulcetly, when Heath had left us, "I'm feeling tophole. No pains in the head; no dizzy spells. Knee-jerks perfect."

"Delighted. Still, I can't charge a man with murder because he calls on his fur model."

"You're so hasty! Why should you charge him with murder?" Vance rose and yawned. "Come, Van. I'd rather like to gaze on Perneb's tomb at the Metropolitan this afternoon. Could you bear it?" At the door he paused. "I say, Markham, what about the Boonton bailiff?"

Markham rang for Swacker.

"I'll see to it at once. Drop in at the club around five, if you feel like it. I'll have the officer there then, as Cleaver is sure to come in before dinner."

When Vance and I returned to the club late that afternoon, Markham was stationed in the lounge-room facing the main door of the rotunda; and beside him sat a tall, heavy-set, bronzed man of about forty, alert but ill at ease.

"Traffic Officer Phelps arrived from Boonton a little while ago," said Markham, by way of introduction. "Cleaver is expected at any moment now. He has an appointment here at half past five."

Vance drew up a chair.

"I do hope he's a punctual beggar."

"So do I," returned Markham vieiously.

Less than ten minutes later Cleaver entered the rotunda from the street, paused at the desk, and sauntered into the lounge-room. There was no escaping the observation point Markham had chosen; and as he walked by us he paused and exchanged greetings. Markham detained him a moment with a few casual questions; and Cleaver passed on.

"That the man you ticketed, officer?" asked Markham, turning to Phipps.

Phipps was scowling perplexedly.

"It looks something like him, sir; there's a kind of resemblance. But it ain't him." He shook his head. "No sir, it ain't him. The fellow I hung a summons on was stouter than this gent, and wasn't as tall."

"You're positive?"

"Yes, sir—no mistake. The guy I tagged tried to argue with me, and then he tried to slip me a fiver to forget it. I had my headlight on him full."

Phipps was dismissed with a substantial fee.

Vance sighed. "My worthless existence is to be prolonged. Sad. But you must try to bear it. . . . I say, Markham, what does Pop Cleaver's brother look like?"

"That's it," nodded Markham. "I've met his brother; he's shorter and stouter. . . . This thing is getting beyond me. I think I'll have it out with Cleaver now."

He started to rise but Vance forced him back into his seat.

"Don't be impetuous. Cultivate patience. Cleaver's not going to do a bunk; and there are one or two preliminary steps strongly indicated. Mannix and Lindquist still seduce my curiosity."

Markham clung to his point.

"Neither Mannix nor Lindquist is here now, and Cleaver is. And I want to know why he lied to me about that summons."

"I can tell you that," said Vance. "He wanted you to think he was in the wilds of New Jersey at midnight Monday.—Simple, what?"

"The inference is a credit to your intelligence! But I hope you don't seriously think that Cleaver is guilty. It's possible he knows something; but I certainly cannot picture him as a strangler."

"And why?"

"He's not the type. It's inconceivable—even if there were evidence against him."

"Ah! The psychological judgment! You eliminate Cleaver because you don't think his nature harmonizes with the situation. I say, doesn't that come perilously near being an esoteric hypothesis? —or a metaphysical deduction? . . . . .

"However, I don't entirely agree with you in your application of the theory to Cleaver. That fish-eyed gambler has unsuspected potentialities for evil. But with the theory itself I am wholly in accord. And behold, my dear Markham: you yourself apply psychology in its abecedarian implications, yet ridicule my application of it in its higher developments. Consistency may be the hobgoblin of little minds, y' know, but it's none the less a priceless jewel. . . . How about a cup of tea?"

We sought the Palm Room, and sat down at a table near the entrance. Vance ordered oolong tea, but Markham and I took black coffee. A very capable four-piece orchestra was playing, and we sat restfully in comfortable chairs without speaking. Markham was tired and dispirited, and Vance was busy with the problem that had absorbed him continuously since Tuesday morning. Never before had I seen him so preoccupied.

We had been there perhaps half an hour when Spotswoode strolled in. He stopped and spoke, and Markham asked him to join us. He, too, appeared depressed, and his eyes showed signs of worry.

"I hardly dare ask you, Mr. Markham," he said diffidently, after he had ordered a ginger ale, "but how do my chances stand now of being called as a witness."

"That fate is certainly no nearer than when I last saw you," Markham replied. "In fact, nothing has happened to change the situation materially."

"And the man you had under suspicion?"

"He's still under suspicion, but no arrests have been made. We're hoping, however, that something will break before long."

"And I suppose you still want me to remain in the city?"

"If you can manage it—yes."

Spotswoode was silent for a time; then he said:

"I don't want to appear to shirk any responsibility—and perhaps it may seem wholly selfish for me even to suggest it—but, in any event, wouldn't the testimony of the telephone operator as to the hour of Miss Odell's return and her calls for help be sufficient to establish the facts, without my corroboration?"

"I have thought of that, of course; and if it is at all possible to prepare the case for the prosecution without summoning you to appear, I assure you it will be done. At the moment, I can see no necessity of your being called as a witness. But one never knows what may turn up. If the defense hinges on a question of exact time, and the operator's testimony is questioned or disqualified for any reason, you may be required to come forward. Otherwise not."

Spotswoode sipped his ginger ale. A little of his depression seemed to have departed.

"You're very generous, Mr. Markham. I wish there was some adequate way of thanking ou." He looked up hesitatingly. "I presume you are still opposed to my visiting the apartment. . . . I know you think me unreasonable and perhaps sentimental; but the girl represented something in my life that I find very difficult to tear out. I don't expect you to understand it—I hardly understand it myself."

(To Be Continued.)

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams

FINE WORK, WES! YUH GOT 'IM! NOW ALL YOU HAFTUH DO — IS KETCH TH' HOSS.
FALLING BEHIND IN HIS WORK.
REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.
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Graham Revival Ends; 49 Added to Church

Officers of Christian Congregation Are Elected.—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cole to Move.

(By Ladies Guild)

GRAHAM.—The revival at the Christian church closed Sunday night with about forty-nine additions to the church, some of whom came from the Palestine church which is no longer functioning. A baptismal service was held at the Maryville church on Sunday afternoon when twenty-six persons were baptised. Several others are to be baptised at the close of the meeting at the Salem church, which will begin Wednesday night under the direction of the Rev. Mr. Kitchen.

New church officers as follows were elected at the close of the Bible school last Sunday:

Elders, Dr. E. M. Findley, W. V. Mountjoy, George Bennett.

Deacons, John Wilson, Glenn Acklin, Marvin Mowry, Will Gex.

Deaconesses, Mrs. Frances Wilson, Mrs. Ada Loffer, Mrs. Lucy McDowell, Mrs. Grace Scott.

Clerk and treasurer, Mrs. Opal Talbott.

Pianist, Mrs. Ruby Acklin.

Trustees, L. K. Russell, elected; Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Loffer, held over.

The Rev. G. W. Kitchen who has been conducting the revival services at the Christian church, returned to his home at Villisca, Ia., Monday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Kitchen, who had spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Scott Hitchcock, returned to home in Clarinda, Ia., last Wednesday after spending some time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Noblett, helping to care for her father who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cole expect to move to Blockow in the near future, where Mr. Cole will engage in business.

Mrs. John Arnold has returned to her home in Kansas City Kan., after an extended visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Scheub and three children of Oregon visited at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. Clint Markham, Sunday.

Junior and Joann, children of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morris of Barnard, came Saturday evening to visit their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morris. They returned to their home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Sewell and son, Jay, were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Mary Geyer Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Decker and daughter, Lee, were Maryville visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Couch has been confined to her bed the past two weeks suffering from influenza.

Mrs. Mary Thornton visited at the home of her daughter in St. Joseph Sunday.

Mary Virginia Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wallace of Hopkins is spending a few days the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cole.

Misses Bernice Snelling, Margaret Broyles and Hazel Waugh were Maryville visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Lyle is spending this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lenn Daise.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Long visited in St. Joseph Sunday at the home of their son, Cecil Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Connor and daughter, Lois, of Mound City were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bussell Sunday.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Lenn Daise are quite sick this week suffering from influenza.

Miss Pearl Hickman and her brother, Fred Hickman of Mound City, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Long Monday.

The gospel team from the State Teachers College Y. M. C. A., will conduct the evening church service at the Graham Methodist church next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Maurer of Kansas City came Saturday and spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Maurer. Additional guests on Sunday were Miss Lillian Derringer of Montrose, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Loren Schmitt of Bolckow, Mr. and Mrs. June Craig and family of Bolckow and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kiser and family of Barnard.

Phyllis Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wright, visited over the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright.

The union prayer meetings which were discontinued during the revival meetings at the Christian church, will be resumed again. The meeting will be held at the Christian church Wednesday night, with Lawrence Hill as leader. The subject for study and discussion will be "The life and Ministry of Christ."

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams spent Sunday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McKnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Acklin, Miss Daphne Ripley and Ralph Dysart spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Summers at Fortescue, Mo.

White Cloud

Sam Moon of Maryville hulled clover for Ol Coleman the last of the week.

Sherm Scott bought a team of horses Saturday at the pavilion sale in Maryville.

Mrs. Will Boyd and daughter, Miss Olive, entertained a few friends Thursday with a quilting. A cafeteria dinner was served at 1 o'clock to the following guests: Mrs. Nick Thull, Mrs. Ol Coleman, Mrs. Asa Ringold, Mrs. Everett Ulmer, Mrs. Robert Ramsey, Mrs. Elmer Hanna, Darline Ramsey, Billy and Doris Hanna.

Mrs. Frank Davis is still improving, being able to be up and around the house some.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hanna and children attended a birthday dinner Sunday given for Mrs. Hanna's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lett, at their home east of Pickering.

Mr. and Mrs. Ol Coleman, Mrs. Will Boyd and Miss Olive Boyd were shopping in St. Joseph Wednesday.

Friendship Club Has a St. Patrick's Party

Members and Families Entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harris.—Other News of Grandview Vicinity.

GRANDVIEW—Mrs. Bert Hart was hostess to the Friendship Club Thursday afternoon. A St. Patrick's program was given, followed by contests and a lunch. Those present: Mrs. Walter Hart and daughter, Mrs. M. P. Jones and son, Mrs. Chester Logan, Mrs. Gail Boyd, Mrs. Arthur Owens and daughter, Mrs. Will Wilson, Mrs. Coleborne Payne and son, Mrs. Loren Hart, Mrs. Sam Harris, Mrs. Scott Stone, and Miss Leota Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Logan were calling at the Bryant Mitchell home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harris entertained the Friendship club members and their families with a St. Patrick's party Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Herndon of St. Joseph spent Saturday at Ed Herdon's.

Thelma and Leska Burns and Dean Hart were Sunday visitors at the Bryant Mitchell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Saunders spent Sunday in Grant City.

Frank Cole spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gail Boyd.

Sunday visitors at the Jess Pankau home were Mr. and Mrs. Kasmere Pankau.

Give Benefit Piano Recital for School

Conception Junction Class To Give Entertainment at Holy Family Parochial School Tonight.

CONCEPTION JUNCTION.—A Benefit Piano Recital by Mrs. J. F. Pfeifer's class will be given at the Holy Family Parochial School auditorium Tuesday evening for the benefit of the school.

Mrs. John Derks of St. Joseph visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brady, Miss Marguerite and Stephen, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brady and little son, Cletus spent Sunday at the John E. Brady home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Savage and children were transacting business in Maryville Saturday afternoon.

Theodore Gunther of south of town who has been very sick was taken to the St. Francis hospital for treatment Saturday.

Little Donald Egan spent Saturday and Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Egan, sr.

The Young Ladies Sodality of St. Joseph's Church, Parnell, will give a three act play "Mary Magdalene" at Conception Parish Hall, March 25.

J. W. Corcoran went to St. Joseph Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. Wm. Metcalf.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ferritor of Maryville were visiting relatives here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McCann spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Ruggie.

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INSANE JUDGE ON THE BENCH FOR 2 YEARS

Assigned to Jury Trials Because He Could Do Less Damage There, Witness Says.

Chicago, March 20.—An insane judge who did not know the difference between right and wrong sat on the Chicago municipal bench for two years, Chief Justice Harry Olson testified at the trial of Judge John Stelk, charged with forging notary public seals in a $500,000 fake deed plot.

Olson, testifying for Stelk, who served on the city bench from 1914 to 1920, testified to "bizarre conduct" by Stelk.

"He was a catonic; his mind was too active," Olson said.

It was brought out that during the two-year period in which Olson said he believed Stelk was insane, the latter had been assigned by Olson to sit on jury trials.

"I sent him to the jury branch because that is a good place for an unbalanced judge," Olson testified. "The jury usually has some sense."

Rev. E. F. Hagee Is Missed at Rosendale

Minister Attending College Here Was Especially Popular for Tying Matrimonial Knot.

Rosendale, Mo., Mar. 19.—The old saying that "you never miss a dollar until it is gone," might be very forcefully applied to the Rev. E. F. Hagee, formerly pastor of the Rosendale Christian Church, who moved to Maryville last fall and is preaching "on the side" and also attending the State Teachers College.

The Reverend Mr. Hagee is not only missed by his friends here on our streets with that characteristic smile, of which he has a copious supply, but he is also missed at every basketball game and among the younger set, where he was very popular. He has also been sorely missed by the matrimonially inclined, and as a positive proof of this, and, the fact that he has the reputation of tying the nuptial knot tighter than any other preacher that ever lived here, a young lovelorn pair from St. Joseph, returned to their homes Sunday evening, unmarried, when they failed to find Mr. Hagee and learned that he had moved away.

The young couple appeared very much disappointed, and indicated that they might now change their mind about launching out upon the sea of matrimony.

White Way at Noel.

Noel.—Plans are being made here for establishment of a white way at the junction of Highways 71 and 90.

Paper 45 Years Old.

Tuscumbia.—The Miller County Autogram is celebrating its forty-fifth anniversary this month.

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MULES WANTED—Bring them in or phone me. I will call and see them.—Jim Andy Ford.

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SOLID COMFORT—Furnished apartments now ready.—Chas. Hyslop.

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FOR RENT—Pasture, eight acres adjoining Maryville.—Mrs. E. J. Williams, 333 East Third, Hanamo 227.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Five-room modern house, 543 West First.—Hanamo 5763.

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Sees Farm Relief as One Big Issue

Lowden's Missouri Manager Declares He Is "Specialist" Needed to Cure Ills.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Following is the third of a series of brief interviews with prominent Missouri politicians.

St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 20.—James A. Finch, Missouri manager of Frank O. Lowden's presidential campaign, believes farm relief is the outstanding issue in the present campaign.

He denied the Democratic claim that "honesty in government is the paramount issue, and said:

"Honesty is not a patentable commodity; no man, no party, has or can ever have a patent on common honesty."

"Governor Lowden," he said, "is fundamentally sound on every phase of American economic life. He is a trained executive who knows the problems better, in my judgment, than any other available man.

"If this nation is sick in any respect it not so industrially; our transportation systems are in good shape; but we are sick agriculturally, with 30 per cent of our population engaged in farming and receiving only 7½ per cent of the national income.

"If we ever needed a specialist, we need one to cure our Agricultural situation, and in my opinion the man for the job is Frank O. Lowden."

Out of thirty Republican district delegates already selected to the national convention, Finch estimates Lowden has a minimum of 22 and predicts an ultimate strength of at least 29 out of 39.

Two more district delegates are to be elected today at Maryville, leaving seven delegates at large to be selected by the St. Joseph convention next Monday, where Finch will deliver the keynote speech.

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(1st ins. March 17; last April 2).

NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

In compliance with Section 11,251, Revised Statutes of 1919, of the state of Missouri, notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of school district No. 97, county of Nodaway and state of Missouri, being the Maryville Public School District, that the annual school meeting of said school district will be held at the city hall, the same being located in the basement of the Carnegie Library Building at the corner of Second and Buchanan Streets in Maryville, Missouri, on Tuesday the 3rd day of April, 1928, commencing at 7 o'clock A. M. and closing at 6 P. M. of that day and among other things specified by law the following will be proposed and considered: First, the election of two directors for the term of three years each. Second, the election of one director for the period of one year. Third, a proposition to increase the rate of taxation for the maintainance of school and school purposes, six mills on one dollar for the assessed value of the district in addition to the four mills authorized by law.

To vote on the proposition to detach and take from School District No. 82 of said County, lands described as the South ten acres of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section Sixteen (16), in Township Sixty-four (64), of Range Thirty-five (35), in said Nodaway County, and attach said lands to and make the same a part of said School District of Maryville, and change the boundary lines between said school districts accordingly.

By order of the Board of Directors.
R. P. HOSMER, President.
GEORGE P. WRIGHT, Secretary.

Woman to Hang for Murder of Rancher

Mrs. Eva Dugan, Slain Man's Former Housekeeper, to Be First Executed in Arizona.

Tuscon, Ariz., March 20.—Mrs. Eva Dugan must hang at the state prison at Florence June 1 for the murder of A. J. Mathis, elderly rancher.

Sentence was imposed here yesterday by Judge Gerald Jones after motion for new trial had been denied.

Mrs. Dugan, who once kept house for Mathis, was in prison on an automobile theft charge when his body was found buried on the ranch, and the murder traced to her.

If the sentence is carried out, Mrs. Dugan will be the first woman to be executed in Arizona for murder.

Lambs Higher, Hogs and Cattle Steady

Kansas City Stock Yards, March 20.—Though receipts of fat cattle at the principal markets were moderate again Monday the market showed no quotable advance. The offerings were carried for readily but there was no disposition on the part of the buying side to crowd the trade. Stockers and feeders remained in active demand at firm prices. Hogs were steady with Friday and only 5 cents under last week's high point. More hogs are needed here to meet requirements. Lambs advanced another 25 cents to a new high position for the year. Best brought $16.25.

Monday's Receipts.

Receipts Monoday were 11,000 cattle, 8,000 hogs and 5,000 sheep, compared with 11,000 cattle, 11,000 hogs and 6,000 sheep a week ago, and 15,650 cattle, 6,100 hogs and 4,825 sheep a year ago.

Beef Cattle.

On the basis of current receipts of fat cattle beef outlet channels are lightly supplied and there is no inclination on the part of killers to buy cattle in excess of a quick turn over. It will take an improved beef market to bring stronger prices for fat cattle. Last week fat steers were lower. Monday they were steady at that decline. The good steers shown today brought $13 to $13.50 and fair to good kinds $12 to $13. No strictly prime long fed steers has been shown in recent weeks. Oklahoma meal and hull fed steers brought $11.50 to $13, and western fed steers sold up to $13.50. Cows and heifers were fully steady. Best cows are bringing $9.50 to $10.50 and heifers $11 to $12.50. Calves are selling at $10 to $13 and bulls $6.75 to $8.50.

Stockers and Feeders.

Demand for all classes of stock and feeding cattle continues larger than the supply at firm prices. Fewer fleshy steers are moving back to feed lots, but the inquiry for classes suitable for summer grazing is increasing. Choice 550 pound stockers sold up to $13.50.

Hogs.

Though other markets quoted lower prices, hogs were fully steady with last Friday and only 5 cents under the extreme high point of the year. Larger supplies are needed here to meet requirements and prices are high enough to justify shipments from territory adjacent to more northern markets. Monday the 160 to 240 pound grades sold at $8.15 to $8.30; 140 to 160 pounds $7.85 to $8.15; 240 to 300 pounds $7.90 to $8.20; packing sows $6.50 to $7.25; stock hogs and pigs $6.75 to $7.50.

Sheep and Lambs.

Lamb prices rose 25 cents Monday to a new high position for the year, showing a 50 to 75 cents advance over a year ago. Trade was active. Fat wool lambs sold at $15.85 to $16.25 and shorn lambs $13.75 to $13.85. Fat ewes are quoted at $9 to $9.75; wethers $9.50 to $11 and yearlings $13 to $13.75.

Horses and Mules.

A broad demand continues in the horse and mule division. Prices are firm.

Charles M. Pipkin,
Market Correspondent.

New York Market.

New York, Mar. 20.—Flour quiet and firm.

Pork steady; mess $31.

Lard steady, midwest spot, $11.85 to $11.95.

Sugar, raw firm; spot 96 test delivered duty paid, $4.58; refined firm; granulated, $5.80 to $5.85.

Coffee, Rio, 7S on spot, 16⅝c to 16¾c; Santos 4S, 22½c to 23c.

Tallow dull; special to extra, 8⅜c to 8½c.

Hay dull, No. 1, $1.10; No. 3, 75c to 90c; clover, 65c to $1.

Dressed poultry steady to firm; turkeys, 30c to 46c; chickens, 18c; to 45c; broilers, 35c to 55c; capons, 30c to 48c; fowls, 18c to 30c; ducks, 15c to 20c; ducks, Long, Island, 17c to 21c

Live poultry dull; geese, 14c to 20c; ducks, 16c to 30c; fowls, 23c to 28c; turkeys, 25c to 50c; roosters, 16c; chickens, 29c to 35c; capons, 29c to 50c; broilers, 40c to 50c.

Cheese firm; state whole milk fancy to special, 29c to 29½c; young Americas, 30c to 31c.

Butter firmer; receipts 12,287; creamery extra 49¾ to 50; special market 50½ to 51 cents.

Eggs firm, receipts 51,803; nearby white fancy 35 to 37; state whites 28 to 34; fresh firsts 28½ to 29; Pacific Coasts 27 to 37½; western whites 29 to 31½; nearby browns 29½ to 35.

Kansas City Produce.

Kansas City, Mo., March 20.—Eggs, firsts, 24½c; seconds, 22½c; butterfat, 45c; hens, 22c; broilers, 19c to 40c; turkeys, young toms, 30c; ducks, 19c; geese, 16c.

St. Louis Produce.

St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 20.—Unchanged except eggs, 25¼c to 25½c; hens, 25c; springers, 1½ pounds and over, 43c.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH LIVESTOCK.

South St. Joseph, March 20.—Hogs 5,000; steady to 10c lower; top $8.25; bulk 180-240 pound weights $7.80 to $8.15; most 250-325 pound averages $7.60 to $7.75; sows steady.

Cattle, 2,500; calves 300; fed steers slow and steady to lower; yearlings steady; bulk steers and yearlings $11 to $12.50; good heavyweights held higher; vealers steady to 50c lower; stockers and feeders steady to weak.

Sheep 6,000; market cative, 25 cents higher; choice 87-93 pound western lambs $16.50; top fat ewes $9.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

Kansas City, Mo., March 20.—Hogs 9,000; market slow and uneven; steady to 10c lower than Monday's average. Top $8.25 on choice 190-200 pounds. 250-350 $7.40 to $8.00; 200-250 $7.65 to $8.25; 150-160 $7.40 to $8.10; 90-130 $6.75 to 7.50; packing sows $6.25 to $7.15.

Cattle 8,000; calves 1,000; market fed steers weak to 25c lower; other killing classes little change. Beef steers $11.00 to $13.00; light yearling steers and heifers $9.00 to $12.00; beef cows $7.25 to $9.25; low cutters, cutter cows $5.00 to $6.50; vealers $8.50 to 12.00; heavy calves $8.50 to $12.00; bulk stocker, feeders $10.00 to $12.00.

Sheep 6,000; market lambs 15c to 25c higher; sheep steady. Top fat lambs $16.50; bulk fat lambs $16@25 to $16.50.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK.

Omaha, Mar. 20.—Cattle, receipts, 7,000 head, market slow, steers weak to lower; yearling heifers steady to up; yearlings, $9.75 to $13.50; steers, $10.25 to $14.50; cows and heifers, $5 to $12.75; stockers and feeders, $8.75 to $13.50; bulls and stags, $7 to $9.50; western rangers blank.

Hogs, receipts, 20,000 head; market 10 cents lower; bulk of sales, $7.40 to $7.80; top, $7.90.

Sheep, receipts, 11,500 head; market steady to strong; yearlings, $11 to $13.50; feeder lambs, $11.50 to $15.35; fat lambs, $11.50 to $16; fat ewes, $4.50 to $9.60.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK.

East St. Louis, March 20.—Hogs 17,000; holdovers 2066. Market slow 10 under yesterday's average. 250-350 $7.65 to $8.25; 200-250 $8.10 to $8.55; 160-200 $8.15 to $8.55; 150-160 $7.00 to 8.35; 90 to 130 5.50 to $7.25; packing sows $6.75 to $7.10.

Cattle 3500. Calves 1500; market steady. Beef steers $11.50 to $12.50; light yearling steers and heifers $9.50 to $12.50; beef cows $7.90 to $12.05; low cutter, cutter cows $5.25 to $6.50; vealers $13.70; heavy calves $8.00 to $10.00; bulk stockers, feeders, $8.50 to $10.50.

Sheep 1500; market lambs 25c up, sheep steady. Top fat lambs $16.75; bulk fat lambs $16.00 to $16.75; bulk fat ewes $11.50 to $12.50; bulk feeding lambs $8.50 to $9.50.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

By Department of Agriculture

Chicago, Mar. 20.—Hogs 30,000; better grade hogs on shipper account and 160-220 pound averages strong to 10c higher; steady with Monday's best time; heavier weights and less desirable light hogs around steady with Monday's average. Top $8.30 paid for choice 180-220 pound averages. Best better grade 170-220 pound weights, $8.25 to $8.45; desirable 230-260 pound weights, $8 to $8.35; 270-300 pound averages, $7.65 to $8; bulk, 140-160 pound averages, $7.50 to $8.25; best, $8.40; pigs largely, $6.50 to $7.25; bulk packing sows, $6.75 to $7.25.

Cattle 8,500; fed steer trade very slow, weak to 15c lower. Killing quality less desirable. Bulk of value to sell at $12 to $13; largely steer run, best weighty offerings early, $14; stockers and feeders and other killing classes slow, steady; vealers 50c lower; largely, $11 to $12 on light kinds; shippers and small killers, $12.50 to $13.50; sausage bulls strong up to $8.

Sheep 11,000; fat lambs fairly active, steady to 15c higher. Good to choice 90 pounds down, $16.50 to $17; best held higher, better grade 90-98 pound offerings eligible, $16.25 to $17; good to choice handy and medium weight clipped lambs, $14.50 to $15.75; light supply of sheep strong, most $8.50; light run feeding and shearing lambs in good demand, strong.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Mo., Mar. 20.—wheat 31 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 hard, $1.32 to $1.34; No. 3 hard, $1.29 to $1.70; No. 2 red, $1.58 to $1.60; No. 3 red, $1.54 to $1.58.

Corn, 61 cars; market ½c lower; No. 2 mixed, 92½c to 93½c; No. 3 mixed, 91c to 93c; No. 2 yellow, 95c to 96c; No. 3 yellow, 92c to 95c; No. 2 white, 92½c to 93½c.

Oats, 7 cars; market steady; No. 2 white, 60½c to 61½c; rye, No. 2, $1.10 to $1.11; barley, No. 3, 91c to 95c; kaffir, No. 2, $1.62 to $1.63; No. 3, $1.61; No. 4, $1.58 to $1.60; milo, No. 2, $1.73 to $1.75; No. 3, $1.72 to $1.73; No. 4, $1.70 to $1.72; prairie, No. 1, $11 to $12.50; alfalfa, choice, $23.50 to $25; timothy, No. 1, $12 to $12.50.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 20.—Wheat: No. 3 red $1.61 to $1.68; 4 red $1.65; 5 red $1.35 to $1.50; 1 hard $1.40 to $1.45; 2 hard $1.40.

Corn: 2 white 99 to 99½c; 3 white 98c; 4 white 96½c.

Oats: 2 white 62½ to 63c; 3 white 59½ to 62c; 4 white 48 to 49c.

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Mar. 20.—Wheat: No. 3 red, $1.62; 2 hard, $1.41; 3 hard, $1.40.

Corn: 3 yellow, $1.00½ to $1.01; 4 yellow, 97c to 98½c; 4 yellow, 94c to 95½c; 6 yellow, 92c; 2 mixed, $1.00½; 3 mixed, $1.00¼; 4 mixed, 96½c to 97c; 5 mixed, 94½c to 95c; 6 mixed, 92½c; 4 white, 96c to 97½c; 5 white, 95c; 6 white, 92½c; sample grade, 63c to 82c.

Oats: 2 white, 61c to 62c; 3 white, 57c to 61½c; 4 white, 57c to 59¼c.

Rye: No. 1, $1.25.

Barley: 95c to $1.02.

Timothy: $2.85 to $3.55.

Clover: $19.25 to $26.50.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest.
Wheat—					
Mar.	1.40½	1.40⅝	1.39⅝	1.40⅜	1.39⅝
May	1.38¾	1.39¼	1.38⅛	1.39	1.38⅜
July	1.35⅝	1.36¼	1.35⅜	1.36⅛	1.35½
CORN—					
Mar.	.99	.99½	.98	.99½	.98½
May	1.01½	1.02⅛	1.00½	1.02	1.00⅜
July	1.03⅜	1.04½	1.02¾	1.04¼	1.03⅛
OATS—					
Mar.	.58½	.58½	.57⅜	.58¼	.58¼
May	.58⅜	.58½	.57⅝	.58¼	.58¼
July	.52¼	.53¼	.52⅜	.52⅞	.53
LARD—					
Mar.	Nominal			11.52	11.47
May	11.80	11.85	11.75	11.85	11.77
July	12.10	12.12	12.02	12.12	12.05
RIBS—					
May	Nominal			11.70	11.50

Final Grain Review.

Chicago, Mar. 20.—Reports that Chicago corn was to be shipped all-rail to New York sent corn future ¾ to 1⅛c higher during the last hour of today's session on the board. Wheat following the upturn closing ⅝ to ¾c higher and oats finished unchanged to ¼c lower. Provisions closed higher.

The report which caused the bulge said 100,000 bushels corn had been taken out of Chicago warehouses to supply a suddenly increasing export demand. Profit taking had depressed all grains to lowest levels of the day, considerably under the previous close when the rally started.

Short immediately developed in corn and wheat which was firm in undertone anyway.

Stronger foreign cables and reports of export business sent wheat into its early bulge. Profit takers immediately assaulted the market, however, and a wave of sales killed the rally. After the first heavy selling good support developed and the undertone continued firm. Fine weather over winter wheat fields was a strong factor in the decline. Receipts were 31 cars and the cash market held unchanged.

Reports of export business in corn, coupled with light receipts of 119 cars caused the early upturn in that grain. Commission house buying supported the bulge for a time, but realizing sales soon broke the rally and depressed all futures. The cash market held steady to one cent higher.

Oats rallied early in the day but sold off readily with other grains. Continued reports of seeding large abandoned winter wheat fields to oats have weakened the technical position of the market. Receipts totalled 42 cars and the cash market held unchanged.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Mar. 20.—Butter, receipts 11,420; extras, 49c; extra firsts, 47½c to 48¼c; firsts, 46½c to 47c; seconds, 42c to 44½c; standards, 49c.

Eggs, receipts 26,692; firsts, 27¼c; ordinaries, 26½c; seconds, 25½c.

Cheese, twins, 23½c; yong Americas, 24¼c.

Poultry receipts, 4 car; fowls, 27c; springs 30c; ducks, 22c to 28c; turkeys, 25c to 38c; roosters, 17c.

Potatoes: Arrivals, 186; on track, 521; in transit, 744. Wisconsin sacked Round Whites, $2.15 to $2.25; Idaho sacked Russet Burbanks, $2.50 to $2.75; commercials, $2 to $2.15; Florida Bliss Triumphs, in crates, No. 1, $3.75; sweet potatoes, $1.50 to $3.

LOCAL MARKET.

Eggs, per doz. 22c
(Held Eggs 6c Less)
Cream, per lb. 47c
Roosters, per lb. 6c
Heavy Hens, per lb. 18c
Light Hens, per lb. 13c
Heavy Springs, per lb. 16c
Leghorn Springs, per lb. 13c
Ducks, per lb. 14c
Geese, per lb. 13c
Hides, per lb. 12c

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: The Inspection Trip

YESSIR, SANDY - A LITTLE TOWN IS TH' PLACE TO LIVE - JUST LOOK AT THAT BACK YARD - TREES AN' GRASS - NO ASHES AN' OLD TIN CANS - IT LOOKS MORE LIKE A PARK 'N A BACK YARD -
AN' WHEN FOLKS PAINT A HOUSE WHITE OUT HERE IT STAYS WHITE - NO SMOKE AN' SCOT AN' CINDERS ALL OVER TH' PLACE - AN' NO CROWDS ALL TH' TIME SHOVIN' YUH AN' STEPPIN' ON YER FEET - AN' NO SICKENIN' SMELLS THAT YUH CAN'T DODGE, EITHER -
AN' LOOKIE, SANDY - THERE'S TH' CHURCH - NOT HID IN AMONG A BUNCH O' WARE HOUSES BUT RIGHT OUT IN TH' CENTER O' THINGS - AN' EVERBODY GOES ON SUNDAY AN' 'TWEEN TIMES THEY HAVE CHICKEN DINNERS AN' THINGS IN TH' BASEMENT - CHURCH MEANS SOMETHIN' OUT HERE -
YESSIR, SANDY - I THINK WE'RE GOIN' TO LIKE MAYFAIR FINE - IT'S JUST A LITTLE PLACE, O' COURSE, BUT IT'S NICE - IF I COULD ONLY GET A JOB O' SOME KIND - THAT'S TH' ONLY CATCH TO A LITTLE BURG - THERE'S SO FEW GOOD JOBS 'SPECIALLY FOR A KID -

U. S. Aviators Bomb Nicaraguan Rebels

American Planes Score Several Hits on Sandino Forces—Ground Forces Into Action Also.

Managua, Nicaragua, March 20. — United States aviators have launched an intensive bombing attack on the troops of General Sandino, leader of the Nicaraguan rebels.

The rebels are believed to have suffered severe casualtis.

While the marine ground forces have not yet had a part in the new attack—which marine officers at the base here will not explain—they were said to be rushing to the Murra district. The bombing attacks will continue today, it was said.

One Marine Flier Injured.

The one Marine flier injured was Captain Francis Pierce, communications officer, who was wounded when infantry fire from the rebel guns pierced the marine planes. Pierce was struck in the foot.

The Sandino forces early yesterday concentrated at Murra, an up-country mining center, and were massed there when the first of the cruising marine planes swept overhead.

The bombers went into action. The Sandinistas were in an open spot and easy target for the big American planes.

Load after load of high explosives was dropped on the rebel ranks, who could answer only with infantry fire. Many direct hits were struck, according to reports coming to Managua.

The rebels fought back with their rifles, and although they hit the bombing planes, could make no depression in the steady bombing attack.

Three Different Attacks.

The bombers made three different attacks yesterday. After sighting the Sandinistas on the open range they released their entire supply of bombs. They returned to their base for another load and returned. They made three replenishing visits to the base before calling the attack closed for the day.

One bombing plane reported making five direct hits in the ranks of the Sandinistas.

No careful estimate of the casualties could be made but it was said the rebel's losses were more severe than in any attack since last July, when 300 were killed.

The bombers planned to attack again today and it was said that marine ground forces were rushing up to aid in the offensive.

Marine officers here were silent as to the reason for the new offensive. It was said recently, in connection with announcement that 1,000 additional marines were being sent here from United States, that the campaign against Sandino would have to end in May, when the rainy season begins.

Balboa, Canal Zone, Mar. 20.—A marine detachment of 320 men will arrive here tomorrow aboard the Battleship Arkansas and with a small detachment from Cocosolo will proceed to Corinto, Nicaragua, it was announced today.

Admiral Sellers, special service squadron commander, already is in Balboa to supervise the marine detachment. He will return to Corinto with the new detachment aboard the cruiser Rochester.

Sellers said the rebel leader, General Augustino Sandino, was so elusive it was questionable where he could be captured before the rainy season which starts in May.

TEAPOT DOME OIL IS SEEPING OUT, REPORTED

Flow Into Salt Creek Wells Increased Since U. S. Holes Were Mudded.

Casper, Wyo., March 20.—Persistent reports that oil from the closed wells of Teapot Dome is seeping into the Salt Creek field, a mile distant, occupied the attention of leaders in oil circles here today.

Flow of oil in the Salt Creek wells, it was admitted by oil company officials, has increased rapidly since representatives of the navy department mudded in 12 of the Teapot Dome wells.

Experts pointed out today that it would not be difficult for the rich Teapot Dome oil to seep into Salt Creek. Wells on the Dome and in Salt Creek reach their maximum production in the second wall creek sands and virtually all big producers in the Dome and Salt Creek fields came from these sands.

Government officials admitted recent tests with dyes placed in Teapot Dome wells had been made, with a view of testing the seepage if any, but declined to comment on the results. The navy department, they said, had instructed them to keep the results of the test a secret.

Mumps Case Forces Trial Continuance

Chicago, Mar. 20.—A case of mumps forced a continuance in the trial of chief of police, H. M. Haight of Park Ridge, charged with killing a tame deer.

Members of the Izaak Walton league accuse the chief of police of shooting the deer and giving a venison banquet.

Oscar Carlson, 9, was the only witness at the deer's death. Oscar developed mumps and yesterday, when the trial was called, he could not appear.

Assails Investigation of Marion Star Sale

Marion, O., March 20.—Senator Gerald P. Nye's proposed investigation of the sale of the late President Warren G. Harding's newspaper, the Marion Star, was assailed today by C. D. Schoffner, executor of the Harding estate.

"It is poor policy for a man in Nye's position to start a furore over a rumor without first investigating," Schaffner told the United Press. He said "it was silly" to link the sale with the Teapot Dome inquiry.

Jail Sentence Given Father Who Beat Son

Dalbas, Tex., March 20.—A. B. Staggs, former constable, was sentenced to thirty days in jail here last night because he whipped his 9-year-old son for thirty minutes with a razor strap.

Witnesses testified Stagg administered the whipping after the boy had failed to cook some beans ordered by his father.

The night after Stagg whipped his son, four men carried the father to the river bottoms here, bound him, placed a sack over his head, and flogged him with a bull whip.

A New Leader for Cross Country Race

Andrew Payne, Young Oklahoman, Takes First When South African Drops Out.

Winslow, Ariz., March 20.—A new leader, youthful Andrew Payne, of Claremore, Okla., led C. C. Pyle's "Bunion Derby" as the cross-continent contestants started today's 32-mile lap to Holbrook.

Payne assumed the lead in the Los Angeles-New York derby yesterday when Andrew Newton, veteran Rhodesia runner, who for nearly a week had led the field by six hours, dropped out of the race with a sprained ankle and a strained leg.

Nestor Erickson, Port Chester, N. Y., was the first to reach here from Two Gun yesterday. He completed the 24-mile lap in three hours.

Payne, with a total elapsed time of 99:16:57, leads his nearest rival, Arne Souminen, by one hour and three minutes. Nestor Erickson, Port Chester, N. Y., the first to complete yesterday's 24.1-mile lap from Two Gun, ranks third with a total elapsed time of 107:19:37, eight hours behind the leader.

Marketed Cattle Yesterday.

The Nodaway Valley Cattle Company marketed two cars of cattle and a load of hogs on the St. Joseph market yesterday.

Double-Header Game Played in H. S. Gym

A double-header basketball game is being played this afternoon in the gymnasium of the Maryville high school. The eighth grade team of the Washington school competes with the freshman five, of the high school, while the high school seniors are battling a team of underclassmen. The first game was started at 3:30 o'clock.

The proceeds realized from the games will be turned over to the "Maryvillian" staff to be used toward publication of the year book.

The senior line-up follows:

P. Dietz, f; D. Price, f; E. Barrett, c; G. McMurry, G; H. Wilson, g. George Hepburn will be used as a guard substitute.

The underclassmen line-up:

R. Hahn, c; R. Sellers, f; L. Smith, g. R. McArthur, g; R. Russell, f. Harry Trullinger will be used as a guard substitute.

The freshman line-up:

C. Wiles, f; K. Bovard, f; J. Thorp, c; B. Padgett, g; H. Cooper, g. Donald Schooler will be used as guard substitute.

The eighth grade:

G. Cockayne, f; J. Chick, f; A. Short, c; G. Belt, g; C. Greenlee, g. Harold Smith and Edward Godsey are guard substitutes.

Sport Tabloids

By United Press

Galesburg, Ill.—Representatives of six clubs met here to complete organization of the Central Baseball Association, A class D circuit, which will include Moberly and Hannibal, Mo., Keokuk, Ia.; and Jacksonville, Kewanee and Galesburg, Ill.

Kansas City, Mo.—Joe Malcewicz, Utica, N. Y., heavyweight wrestler, defeated Rudy Dusek, Nebraska, in two out of three falls. Malceiez won the first fall in 2:39 with a crotch hold, Dusek, took the second with a body hold and Malcewicz employed a double wristlock to win the third fall in 24:30.

Evanston, Ill.—More than 600 athletes, representing 80 schools, will compete Friday and Saturday in the National Interscholastic track and swimming meets held at Northwestern University.

New York.—Plans were under way today for a welterweight title bout between Joe Dundee of Baltimore, the titleholder, and Aee Hudkins of Nebraska, in Madison Square Garden, May 4. Dundee and his manager, Max Waxman, were reinstated yesterday by the New York Athletic Commission.

New York—Willie Hoppe led Allen Hall by 100 points to 84 as the pair started play in the third block of their special three-cushion billiard match here this afternoon. Hoppe won both blocks yesterday.

$25 to Borah's Fund by Kansas Candidate

Parsons, Kan., Mar. 20.—A check for $25 to be used by Senator Borah in returning Harry F. Sinclair's campaign contribution of $160,000 has been donated by Clyde M. Reed of Parsons.

Reed is a local publisher and candidate for the Republican nomination for governor.

Court Adjourns for Farm Week.

Sabetha, Kan., Mar. 20.—District court has been adjourned for a week here, to allow farmer members of the jury to catch up their spring work.

Oregon Is Gay in Honor of Its Team

Holt County Town Wildly Enthusiastic About Winning of Basketball Championship.

Oregon, Mo., Mar. 20.—Oregon residents, basketball fans or not, are going to do little else this week except celebrate the winning of a state championship by the local high school quintet, and pep the boys up for the national tournament play next April in Chicago. And how Oregon is going to celebrate!

This little town has gone wild about its championship basketball team. No honor is too great for the quintet. There is some chance of enough celebrating being done to work a hardship on the players. But bring on the banquets, the entertainments and what not, for Oregon will do its team proud.

Starting tonight, celebrations will continue throughout the week. A pep meeting attended by nearly every resident is to be held tonight at the high school auditorium. This will be the first real demonstration since the boys returned home from Columbia.

A community banquet is scheduled for Thursday night in the gymnasium of the Methodist Church. Dr. O. C. Gebhart will be toastmaster at the banquet. A special program is being arranged with the high school orchestra furnishing special music.

Later in the week Rebekah Lodge No. 701, will repeat its home talent play "The Village Postoffice." The entire proceeds from this show will be donated to a fund being raised to send the team to Chicago. The play is to be directed by Mrs. Helen Meagher.

Mrs. H. E. Morley of Gravity, Ia., spent yesterday in Maryville.

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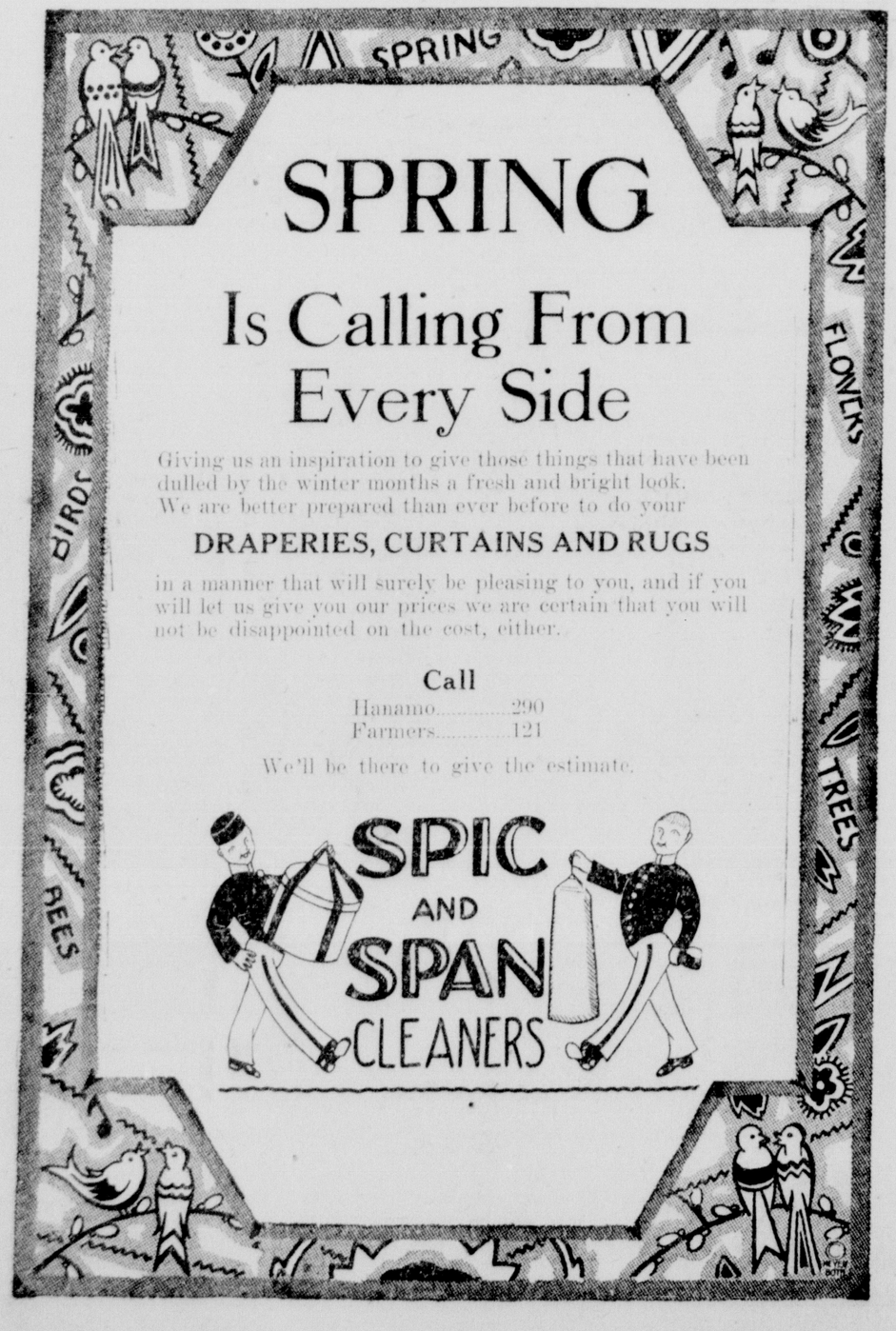
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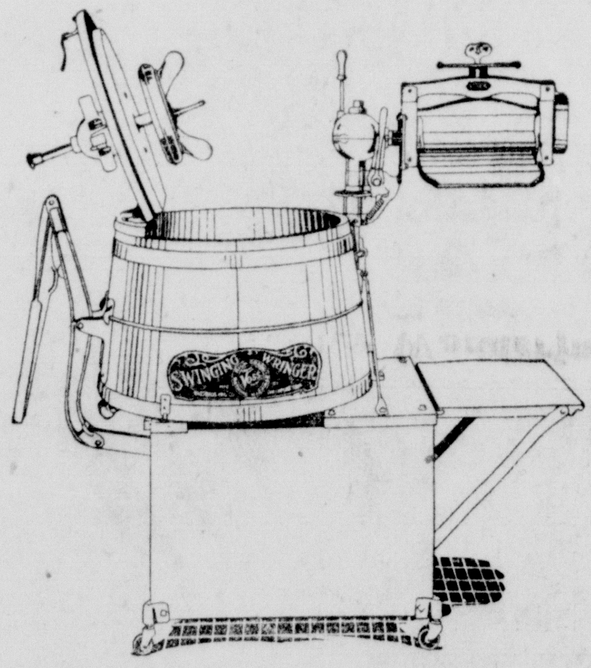

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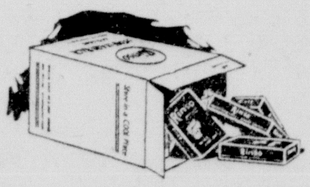

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